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RESTAURANT COMPLAINTS IN VANCOUVER

Contest For Mayor Assures Campaign Of Much Interest

Mayor Leeming and Ald. Andrew McGavin Announce Their Platforms For Chief Magistrate's Chair and Make Plans For Campaign

**Nominations Dec 3
Elections Dec. 10**

One of the hottest civic election campaigns in recent years is anticipated following announcement today by Alderman Andrew McGavin of his arrangements for his fight against Mayor David Leeming. Ald. McGavin will open his appeals to the public over the radio tomorrow evening and will hold a general meeting in the City Temple on December 7.

Mayor Leeming, after announcing briefly his platform today, stated he would make his campaign arrangements at a later date. With the fight assured for the chief magistrate's chair and the prospect of fourteen candidates in the field for five two-year aldermanic terms, two for the one-year by-election seat, and a contest for the school board posts, public interest is expected to reach a high pitch by December 10, when the voters will go to the polls to make their choices.

FACES BIG TEST
Mayor Leeming will be facing his first serious opposition since 1932. He was elected at the head of a field of five in the 1931 election. On that occasion he polled 2,498 votes against 1,774 for E. B. Andrews, 1,324 for Frank LeRoy, 1,064 for E. S. Woodward and 47 for W. H. Sargent.

In 1932 he again defeated Mr. Andrews by a vote of 3,051 to 2,769. The following year he was returned by acclamation, and then returned under W. H. Sargent by a vote of 3,725 to 491 in 1934. He was returned by acclamation last year. Mayor Leeming's campaign this year will again centre around the question of finance. Observers expressed the view his success would depend very largely on the outcome of the debt revision programme now under way, and on the voters' reaction to the refunding mission which he, with other city delegates, undertook to Great Britain and eastern Canada.

McGAVIN PLATFORM
Alderman McGavin in announcing his candidature for mayor made the following statement:

"Although my platform is short, concise and to the point, it covers every phase of municipal activity. During the next few days I shall talk plainly to electors and show them the kind of timber of which my platform is constructed.

"A fiscal policy to protect people's pockets means a financial policy in keeping with needs of the city, not wanton waste that leads to confiscation of citizens' homes.

"An administration unimpeded by outside forces means an administration in the interests of citizens, not of corporations or individuals.

"A mayor who will stay in the city means a working mayor who will stay on the job and put time, energy and thought into the work.

"An independent audit followed by business action without sentiment means an end to slipshod methods and inefficient control of civic (Turn to Page 2, Col. 6)

More Scrip At Orillia Soon

Canadian Press
Orillia, Ont., Nov. 30.—At least another \$3,000 of municipal scrip will be placed in circulation this week, Alderman H. G. Paeh, Orillia relief board chairman, announced today. To date \$15,000 worth of scrip has been given out. This week's sum will include monthly allowances for rent, fuel, clothing and food.

Victorian In Seattle Chase

C. Ingram Helps Ex-Mayor Smith Catch Man; Later Robbed

Associated Press
Seattle, Nov. 30.—Happy over executing a perfect flying tackle—something he used to do twenty-three years ago as a University of Washington quarterback—on a hit-and-run driver suspect, Charles L. Smith, former Seattle mayor, scrunched his shoulders reminiscently today aboard a plane for Chicago.

The suspect, Victor Fogelberg, twenty-nine, clerk, was in the city jail without charge. Police said Smith, driving downtown late yesterday with his wife, saw a man identified later as Fogelberg running along the sidewalk, pursued by Charles Ingram, Victoria, B.C., visitor.

ON RUNNING BOARD
Smith told Ingram to jump on the running board of his machine. While Smith's car sped after the fleeing man, Ingram explained he had seen Fogelberg depart in a hurry after his automobile had collided with another machine, police.

The suspect ran up an alley. Smith and Ingram leaped from the car and gave chase on foot. Nearing his quarry, Smith, overcoat and all, leaped through the air and with a perfect flying tackle brought Fogelberg to the pavement with a thud. They told him until police came.

Thomas Eden, with whom Ingram was staying, told police today the Victoria visitor liked to walk about the city at night.

VICTORIAN ROBBED
After participating with Smith in the chase early Sunday morning, Eden said Ingram was abroad again last night and found more excitement.

A masked robber held him up and robbed him of \$730.

Ingram returned to Victoria today.

Sir H. Lytton Estate \$75,000

Canadian Press
London, Nov. 30.—Sir Henry Lytton, the distinguished Savoyard, who died recently, left an estate of £150,000 (\$750,000), probate of his will showed today.

Sir Henry was one of the original members of the company, which demoted millions of theatre-goers with renderings of Gilbert and Sullivan operas.

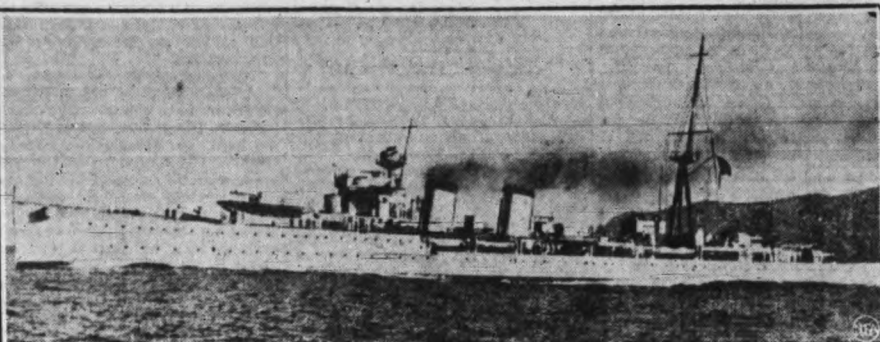
Britain to Have Greatest Air Force

Canadian Press from Havas
Paris, Nov. 30.—Within eighteen months Great Britain will have the world's most powerful air force, Pierre Etienne Flandin, former French Premier, told the newspaper *l'Intransigeant* yesterday.

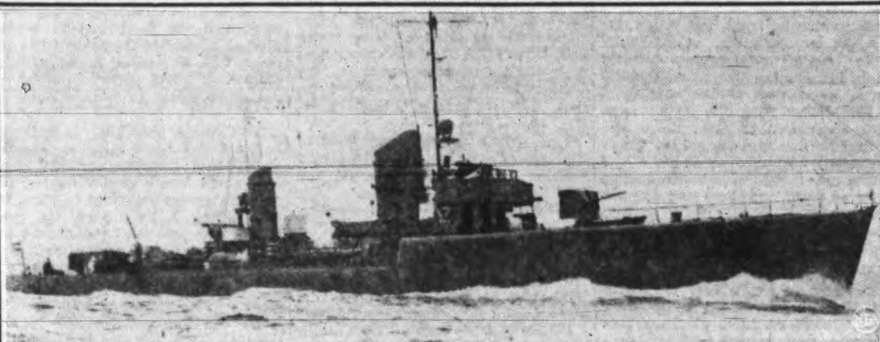
"It is safe to say that Great Britain is now completely awake, and is in the process of realizing on a huge scale an admirably worked out mili-

tary plan," declared M. Flandin, who returned recently from an eight-day visit to London. "It is undeniable, the English are uneasy, because they are not ready," M. Flandin admitted. "But with the methodical thoroughness which characterizes British conduct, our friends not only have voted credits, but they are preparing an organization for industrial mobilization which is bringing almost the whole of British industry into one gigantic rearmament effort."

Spanish Cruiser Repaired After Attack



The Loyalist warship Almirante de Cervantes, above, while just outside of Cartagena, on the east coast of Spain, was damaged at the bow by an explosion the Madrid government said was caused by a torpedo. Military leaders who examined fragments of the torpedo declared it was not of Spanish or Italian make, leaving the inference it was German. The Cervantes was put in drydock for repairs. Reports said that at the time of the explosion the German destroyer Leopard, below, was not far away.



Spanish Loyalists Gain As Planes Raid Madrid

BAD WEATHER FOR MOLLISON

Associated Press
Khartoum, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Nov. 30.—Capt. James A. Mollison and Capt. Edouard Cornillon-Molinier arrived here today on their attempt to break the London-Capetown flying record.

The fliers landed at 11.45, E.S.T. (8.45 a.m. P.S.T.) and planned to take off for Kisumu at 5 p.m. E.S.T. (2 p.m. P.S.T.).

Canadian Press from Havas
Cairo, Nov. 30.—Capt. James A. Mollison and his French co-pilot, Edouard Cornillon-Molinier, took off from Cairo today on the third lap of their attempt to break the London-Capetown round trip record.

Encountering "frightful weather and headwinds" Mollison and Cornillon-Molinier arrived here after flying "with their hearts in their mouths" from Margellies, which had been their first stop.

TRELLE AGAIN IS WHEAT KING

Peace River Farmer Also Wins Oats Championship at Chicago International Show; W. G. Gibson, Ladner, B.C., Second in Hard Red Spring Wheat

Associated Press
Chicago, Nov. 30.—Herman Trelle, Wembley, Alta., farmer, is once more holder of the wheat crown of the world. The award at the International Grain and Hay Show yesterday gave him a double "kingship" as Trelle had become the "oats king" on Saturday.

The Peace River Valley farmer scored the wheat victory on his return to competition after three years' enforced retirement under the rules, because of three previous wins: W. G. Gibson, Ladner, B.C., was second to Trelle in the hard red spring class. Other Canadians who placed in the wheat championship competition were: 3, Frank Isaakson, Effros, Sask.; 4, William J. Bryant, Boyle, Alta.; 5, John McDonald, Wembley, Alta.; 9, James Sebastian, Wembley, Alta.; 12, Mrs. A. Kelsey, Erickson, B.C.; 13, William Rogers, Tappen, B.C.

L. E. Peterson of Victor, Mont., who also has sat on the wheat throne, (Turn to Page 2, Col. 1)

Insurgent Fliers Bomb Lines, But Leave Centre of City Unharmed; Attack on Capital Broken, Says Government

Associated Press
Madrid, Nov. 30.—Insurgent planes raided the capital twice today, bombing government lines in the University section and along the Manzanares River.

The fascist fliers then wheeled back to their bases without attempting to bomb the centre of the city.

Failure to take advantage of "perfect bombing weather" to attack the heart of the city itself puzzled military circles. The government pointed to the manoeuvre as the latest indication that the back of the insurgent attack on Madrid had been broken.

By CHRISTIAN OZANNE
Havas Correspondent
Madrid, Nov. 30.—Government forces repulsed an insurgent infantry-tank attack four miles west of Madrid. It was officially announced today as reports indicated leftist offensives throughout Spain were gaining ground.

Militiamen drove back the attacking insurgents at Pozuelo, inflicting heavy losses on them, said a leftist Emergency Defence Council communiqué. Five insurgent tanks were destroyed and two were captured, it added.

The militiamen consolidated their positions in the Casa de Campo sector, just across the Manzanares River west of the former royal palace, it was added.

ON OTHER FRONTS
Government offensives in other sectors were halted in Madrid as the tide of battle apparently took a turn in favor of the Socialists.

Gen. Francisco Franco's capital at Burgos was reportedly menaced by a leftist column pressing toward Burgos from Santander.

The insurgent field headquarters at Talavera de la Reina, thirty-seven miles northwest of Toledo and supply base, was reported to have been declared the plane was not struck. Spanish authorities apologized for the attack, they declared, explaining the Socialist pilot had thought the transport ship was an insurgent bomber.

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Holly Being Shipped East

Orders Are Larger This Year; Christmas Trees to Go by Rail

First shipments of holly and Christmas trees, for eastern Canada and California, respectively, are now being made from Victoria.

Increased orders from the east for holly indicate better conditions there this year, according to F. B. Pemberton, who ships most of the holly from Victoria. Several tons will be shipped in the next few weeks.

In former years, eastern Canadian cities have used large quantities of Florida holly, a red-berried shrub. The supply has dwindled, however, and more holly from Mr. Pemberton's Cudbory Bay farm will be used this year.

Christmas trees are being cut in the Shawnigan and Cobble Hill areas. They will be shipped by rail instead of by sea to California, all United States ports on the Pacific Coast being blocked by the maritime strike.

Over 4,000 trees, tied in bundles, can be loaded in an Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway car and transported without unloading.

Christmas trees and colored lights to herald in the Yule season are making their first appearance on Victoria streets today.

Chief Justice Congratulated

Vancouver, Nov. 30.—Hon. J. A. Macdonald of Victoria, chief justice of British Columbia, and Mr. Justice Denis Murphy today received congratulations from Vancouver's legal profession on the twenty-seventh anniversary of their elevation to the bench.

By the Way~
21 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT

STOCKINGS FOR BIG SISTER?
BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

President of Cafe Men Says at Tucker Inquiry Law Enforcement Needed

BETTER TERMS INQUIRY SOON

Federal Commission Expected to Hear B.C.'s Claim Next Year

Appointment of a federal commission to inquire into British Columbia's claim for better terms from the Dominion Government is expected early next year.

Premier Pattullo, who started for the east Saturday night, will probably take the matter up with the federal authorities.

Early this year a commission of inquiry was promised by the Dominion Government. It is understood Ottawa is prepared to go ahead with the appointment as soon as British Columbia is ready to present its case in full detail.

The present provincial government has already been partially successful in its fight for better terms by receiving in recognition of its claim, a \$750,000 interim subsidy yearly from Ottawa. This was a temporary measure until the exact extent of the province's claims can be settled by a commission.

Seattle Again Reads The P.I.

Seattle, Nov. 30.—The Seattle Post-Intelligencer was delivered at homes today for the first time since a newspaper strike by the Seattle chapter of the American Newspaper Guild closed the plant August 13.

With the strike settled, the presses rolled out a forty-eight-page edition—a week-day record, as the newspaper's new publisher, John Boettiger, President Roosevelt's son-in-law, sped by train toward Seattle with his wife, the former Anna Eleanor Roosevelt.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt accompanied the Boettigers to the train in New York last night and went with them into their compartment.

Driest and Sunniest November In Years

Victoria Has Mild, Sunny and Dry Days While Rest of Coast Lost in Fog; Driest Month Since 1901 and Sunniest Since 1916

While the rest of the coast was blanketed in fog this month, Victoria basked in extra hours of sunshine, and enjoyed days that were unusually free of rain, according to the monthly weather report released this morning by W. A. Thorne, superintendent of the Meteorological Observatory here.

Rainfall for the month amounted to only 1.25 inches, the lowest in thirty-five years. This was 3.03 inches below the average. In 1901, records show, there was only .91 of an inch of rain.

Old-time residents have been amazed at the lack of rain and wind this autumn, for October and November are usually featured by downpours and strong gales. For months there has hardly been a breeze.

The abnormal distribution of pressure is given as the reason at Gonzales for the lack of wind.

The last week of November was featured by long, sunny days, when residents turned out to the beaches and parks to enjoy picnic lunches, while Vancouver and Seattle people were lost in the thickest fog they could remember.

For 115 hours the sun shone in Victoria during November. That was thirty-eight hours above the average. It was the sunniest November since 1916, when there were 124 hours of sunshine.

Present indications are that 1936 will be a very dry year. The average rainfall is twenty-seven inches, although in recent years it has been above that. For the first eleven months of this year the total precipitation has been 21.65 inches. Unless there are more than five inches of rain in December, the average an-

Commissioner W. A. Macdonald Is Told by W. A. Grimsdall Vancouver Has 396 Restaurants, When 200 Would Serve Requirements; Evidence on Growth of Oriental Kitchen Help; Witness Says Authorities' Responsibility for Guaranteeing Cleanliness and Best Practices Is Hazy

Canadian Press
Vancouver, Nov. 30.—Allegations of insanitary conditions in Vancouver restaurants were presented here today by William A. Grimsdall, president of the Restaurant Men's Association, when Commissioner W. A. Macdonald reconvened his inquiry into charges made by W. A. Tucker, discharged police accountant.

Mr. Tucker's 140-page report charged inefficiency in the police department, and demanded dismissal of three police heads.

Mr. Grimsdall testified that if by-laws were reasonably enforced the restaurant business in Vancouver would be a "reputable business, not a by-word."

"We get nowhere because we can't pin down responsibility for enforcement of by-laws," the witness said. He claimed there are 396 restaurants in Vancouver, although 200 would be sufficient.

"In 1932 there were 150 restaurants and 75 per cent of the employees were white men. Now there are 396 restaurants and between 95 and 97 per cent of the kitchen help are Orientals, working for lower than minimum wages through arrangements with the owners."

Mr. Grimsdall said 88 or 89 restaurants here were owned by Orientals, and that Vancouver is selling "the cheapest food on the continent."

APPOINTMENT IS EXPECTED

Dr. J. F. Walker Likely to Take Post as Deputy to Mines Minister

Dr. J. F. Walker, provincial mineralogist, is expected to succeed the late Robert Dunn Jr. as Deputy Minister of Mines for British Columbia.

Dr. Walker has lately been acting deputy. It is expected that when the new appointment is made the two offices of deputy minister and mineralogist will be combined in one. Such an amalgamation has been under consideration for some time.

Dr. Walker was appointed to the post of mineralogist about two years ago by Hon. George S. Pearson, the minister. He succeeded J. D. Gallows, who went into private practice as a mining engineer.

NEW BY-LAW DRAFTED

The witness said that when Inspector J. P. C. B. Vance of the Vancouver police bureau of science was faced with such conditions he prepared a new by-law for regulation of restaurants.

"I received a copy of the new regulations from the city hall," Mr. Grimsdall said. "But I can't find anything accomplished in that direction. There is an election pending, of course. That's the answer to that."

Sandwich shop licenses are often the thin edge of a wedge which makes an opening for a restaurant which does not comply with by-law provisions, he claimed.

License Inspector H. A. Urquhart, (Turn to Page 2, Col. 7)

Libel Charge In Vancouver Heard

Canadian Press
Vancouver, Nov. 30.—George W. Gibbanks, chairman of the City Covenants' League, charged with defamatory libel, was remanded till December 7 when he appeared before Police Magistrate H. S. Wood here today.

Charges against Gibbanks were laid by Chief Constable W. W. Foster.

Roosevelt Greeted At Buenos Aires

U.S. President, Arriving to Share in Inter-American Peace Conference, Is Cheered By Great Throngs

Associated Press
Buenos Aires, Nov. 30.—President Roosevelt, acclaimed by hundreds of thousands, reached here early this afternoon for the opening tomorrow evening of the twenty-one-nation peace conference which grew out of his initiative.

MILITARY SUPPLIES
London, Nov. 30.—Possibility the Inter-American Conference might prohibit shipment of war materials to Europe, authoritative quarters said today, is causing concern in Great Britain.

In the midst of a huge rearmament programme, it was said, the British

naturally are looking to their sources of supply—much of which normally comes from North and South America. OIL IS NEEDED

Should the western world decide not to ship the necessities of war to Europe, authorities pointed out, invaluable oil and nitrates would fall under such a ban.

Informed quarters declared the possibility of a war supplies ban looms larger than any other project contemplated at the conference opening tomorrow.

CONTINENTAL DOCTRINE

Associated Press
Buenos Aires, Nov. 30.—Evolution of a continental doctrine to safeguard the New World against aggression has emerged as one of the major questions before the Inter-American Peace Conference, which will open here tomorrow evening.

Preliminary discussions by delegations from the American republics revealed growing interest in the idea (Turn to Page 2, Col. 5)

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Trelle Again Is Wheat King

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won the reserve championship with a hard winter wheat.

SIXTEENTH TIME

It is the sixteenth time in eighteen years that Canada has won the wheat title.

Trelle's sample was "Reward," the hard red spring wheat originated by the cereal division of the Canadian government's experimental farm. It weighed 68.3 pounds to the bushel.

Trelle, who is forty-two years old, farms a 700-acre plot 400 miles north of the United States boundary in a region he calls "The Land of No Drought."

Beaming and confident when his "victory" variety of oats took the title on Saturday, the Canadian said, "My wheat entry is the one they'll have to beat to win."

He has won grand championships also in peas, flax, timothy and rye.

ALFAFA PRIZE

Another crown placed yesterday went to a Canadian—the grand champion of alfalfa, Daniel

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Ladies Aid Church of our Lord will hold a Christmas Bazaar, Wednesday afternoon, December 2, in Orford Memorial Hall, Humboldt Street.

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CONTROVERSY ON HAIG WIDENS

Question Will Be Asked in British Commons Tomorrow About Documents Dealing With Late Army Commander's Career in France

Canadian Press
London, Nov. 30.—Further fuel for the long-sustained fire of recrimination over the merits of Earl Haig's command in France was in prospect for this week.

Tomorrow Emanuel Shinwell, Labor, will bring the question before the House of Commons, and later in the week, it is expected, the soldier's widow, Lady Haig, will publish her husband's biography.

Publication of Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George's sixth and last volume of his memoirs of the Great War has brought the issue, never dormant for long, back to public attention. The former Prime Minister's book charges the British commander-in-chief with "paralytic fright" following the March, 1918, retreat, and of striving "to cast upon others the blame."

London newspapers have published extracts from Lord Tweedsmuir's speech at Regina, Saskatchewan, on Friday, in which he took exception to Mr. Lloyd George's conclusion that Haig was an "inferior soldier and that the war was won without him."

The man now Governor-General of Canada was on Haig's staff in France in 1916-17.

QUESTION IN HOUSE

In the House tomorrow Mr. Shinwell will ask the Secretary for War whether any documents are in the possession of the department relating to Haig's war-time activities and whether, to protect his memory from attacks, any of these will be published.

Mr. Shinwell was financial secretary to the war office in the second Labor government.

YOUTH WINS

"Kings" crowned on Saturday, the first day of the show, included twenty-year-old Robert Vaughn of Chenoa, Ill., who raised the 4-H Club grand champion steer, a 1,250-pound Aberdeen-Angus; J. P. Momen of Miles, Iowa, entered the grand champion carlot of steers.

CORN AND BEANS

Other awards in the hay and grain show were:

White corn, region two, 1, Mrs. Eleanor L. Allison, Woodstock, Ont.

Yellow corn, region one, 1, Hercules Trahan, Chatham, Ont.

Field beans, navy, 1, Albert C. Gohn, Emo, Ont.

Field beans, Great Northern, 2, John Hamilton, Coaldale, Alta.

Oats, region one, 1, Herman Trelle, Wembley, Alta.; 3, F. Lloyd Rigby, Wembley, Alta.

Red clover, 1, Elson L. Heid, Fisherville, Ont.; 2, J. Down, Woodpecker, B.C.

Durum wheat, 1, R. P. Robbins, Shaunavon, Sask.

White winter wheat, 1, Roy C. Chambers, Penwick, Ont.; 7, B. Young, Kinsella, B.C.

French Cabinet Split Threatens

Communists May Withdraw Support From Blum's Popular Front Government

Associated Press
Paris, Nov. 30.—Continued Communist attacks against the government precipitated a split today within France's ruling Popular Front and threatened the life of the cabinet.

Chamber of Deputies observers said both Socialist and Radical Socialist deputies were determined to call for a showdown as the result of an open declaration from Maurice Thorez, Communist Secretary-General, that his party might withdraw its support from Socialist Premier Leon Blum.

Many popular front leaders were described as convinced the government could not continue to hold together with one of its supporting factions fighting its Spanish non-intervention and other policies.

The Socialists and Radical Socialists were said to be planning to force the Communists to state their demands in Parliament. Thus the Communists would be obliged to take the responsibility if the government were overthrown.

London University Principal Is Dead

Canadian Press
London, Nov. 30.—Sir Edwin Deller, fifty-three, principal of the University of London, died today of injuries he received when he fell Friday while ascending the tower of the new university buildings under construction in Bloomsbury.

He was academic registrar of the university from 192 until 1929 and had been president for the past seven years.

Sir Edwin Deller, who received his title last year, was born in 1888, the son of Edwin and Mary Deller of Paignton, Devonshire. He received his education at King's College, University College and the London School of Economics. He was a life governor of Cheltenham College and formerly in the service of the Kent Education Committee.

Spanish Loyalists Gain As Planes Raid Madrid

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base for the army attacking this capital, was said to be threatened by leftist motorized columns moving up the Tagus River valley from Aranjuez, south of Madrid.

Another government force reported had severed communications between the Fascist northern headquarters at Grado and Burgos.

In Aragon, an attacking insurgent column from Gabin and Jaca was reportedly defeated at Yebra in the Huesca sector with a heavy toll of dead and wounded.

NEAR BAY OF BISCAY

In the Oviedo sector the embattled asturian "guerrillas" continued their advances, shelling Fascist positions in the suburbs of Corre Doira, San Claudio and Bayo.

In the Malaga sector near Villanueva Carrasas, 1,500 insurgents attacked the government troops and were repulsed.

Associated Press
Madrid, Nov. 30.—Strong forces of insurgent shock troops, attempting to break through government lines on the El Escorial road, attacked the suburban village of Pozuelo de Alarcón today.

Supported by tanks and planes, insurgent commanders hurled wave after wave of troops against Socialist positions on the new battleground seven miles west of the capital.

(Dispatches from the Fascist side said occupation of the village had been unofficially reported at headquarters.)

The new tactics were begun shortly after an insurgent plane had dropped seven bombs on Madrid's western section near the North Station last night.

WARNED BY SCOUTS
Government troops were warned of the impending infantry attack by a squadron of Socialist planes scouting the western area. The pilots observed the start of the advance and signaled urban commanders.

The planes dropped thousands of leaflets on the Fascist concentrations, inviting the insurgent soldiers to lay down their arms and surrender.

"Otherwise, Madrid will be your tomb," the attackers were warned.

ROCKET CAMPAIGN
The Emergency Defence Council loosed another propaganda barrage against the insurgents with rockets fired into Fascist-occupied territory.

Each rocket was packed with 250 colored "surrender invitations."

Gen. Jose Miaja, president of the defence junta, entertained a group of British members of parliament who arrived in the capital to view developments in the civil war.

NEAR BAY OF BISCAY
Reports from Oviedo, in the far north, declared fighting in the Asturian sector had died down, with government troops consolidating newly-won positions.

Socialist peace overtures to Fascist Gen. Jose Varela were reported in a broadcast from Seville by Gen. Emilio Guisado de Llano, insurgent commander. Two emissaries from the government forces—one a lieutenant-colonel and the other a militiaman—were declared to have visited Gen. Varela Saturday to ask the conditions for Madrid's surrender.

The request was refused by Varela, the document declared, since Generalissimo Franco has ordered no halt in his campaign, "until he has subdued all of Spain."

NEUTRAL ZONE BOMBED
Canadian Press from Havana
London, Nov. 30.—Insurgent aviators bombed the neutral zone set up by General Francisco Franco in the port of Alicante during their attack on that city late Saturday night. Official reports received here today declared.

A number of ships were in the neutral zone at the time the bombardment was carried out.

They put out to sea, the report declared.

SAY 600 KILLED
Seville, Spain, Nov. 30 (Canadian Press from Havana)—The right flank of General Jose Varela's forces attacking Madrid killed 600 militiamen in major engagements near Madrid in the last twenty-four hours, the Seville radio station announced today.

The insurgent troops repelled attacks by Madrid's "International Brigade" and captured important quantities of war material, it was said. One of these operations involved an attack by a column composed entirely of foreigners. In the Casa de Camas sector, west of Madrid, it was said.

Oldest Ex-officer In Britain Dies

Canadian Press
London, Nov. 30.—Lieut.-Col. Cotton Edwin Theobald, oldest retired officer in the British Army, died today. He was 100.

Theobald got his commission in 1855 in the 55th Foot, the border regiment. He served a long time in India.

On his 100th birthday in June he attended a carnival dance and tasted his first cocktail. He enjoyed the distinction of being the oldest officer for only eight days. Previously that position was held by Sir Donald Maclean, head of the Clan Maclean.

Zaharoff Last Rites in France

Associated Press
Vallangou, Ard., France, Nov. 30.—The body of Sir Basil Zaharoff was buried yesterday in the little chapel at his chateau in the presence of a few relatives, friends and employees.

The funeral of the late international munitions merchant was conducted with the same secrecy that had characterized Sir Basil's life and outsiders were not permitted within the grounds. The body arrived at the chateau shortly after midnight from Monte Carlo, where Sir Basil died Friday.

Fog Puts Out Forest Fires

Associated Press
Portland, Ore., Nov. 30.—Fog and cold weather put a damper on forest fires in western Oregon and Washington today, and barring an unexpected resumption of the brisk east wind officials indicated the immediate danger was over.

It was estimated that in the past week fires swept over 20,000 acres in the Columbia River area of Washington and 15,000 acres in west central Oregon and along the coast.

Roosevelt Greeted At Buenos Aires

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of a defensive Pan-American policy—which would not prohibit freedom of individual action whenever circumstances might demand it.

While details of the new doctrine evolved from basic principles of the Monroe Doctrine, all delegates emphasized the proposal was not an extension of the Monroe declaration, but a new pact guaranteed by all countries and serving the common interests of all.

NEW SOLIDARITY
This policy, they said, should contain a pronouncement of the American nations' solidarity against outside interference.

LONDON VIEW OF CANADA
Canadian Press from Havana
London, Nov. 30.—Canada would remain outside any moves at the forthcoming Inter-American Peace Conference at Buenos Aires which might pave the way for creation of a western league of nations, the London Morning Post predicted today. The conference will start tomorrow.

The newspaper, however, believed developments which might lead to a possible western league would not take place at the conference.

The standards of civilization, political aims and cultural affiliations of the American nations are not yet so uniform as to enable them to win greater harmony than was achieved at Geneva," it said.

Increased trade among the western nations will be the main issue at the conference, according to The Morning Post.

BOYCOTT ON U.S. VESSELS

French and Mexican Longshoremen's Move Adds to Ship Problem at New York

Associated Press
San Francisco, Nov. 30.—Federal mediators persisted in maritime strike peace efforts today despite another setback which left the month-long blockade of United States Pacific ports unbroken except for release of Alaska food ships.

Assistant Secretary of Labor Edward F. McGrady said he hoped to bring the coastwise operators of seventy freight vessels back for discussions which ended abruptly Saturday when they demanded that dock officers return to ships under pre-strike conditions.

The coastwise operators had previously reached virtual agreements with all unions except the masters, mates and pilots.

APPEAL FROM NEW YORK
As peace efforts continued here, the New York Board of Trade appealed to Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins to take steps to end what it termed a national emergency.

The off-shoot strikes of rank-and-file seamen on eastern United States and Gulf of Mexico coasts and a boycott against United States ships by French and Mexican dock workers near a new crisis in New York.

Officials of the International Longshoremen's Association there, who have disapproved the insurgent seamen's strike, threatened a boycott of the French liner Champlain when it arrives Wednesday. Striking seamen, in turn, threatened to handle cargo of the ship if the longshoremen refused to handle the French dock workers' boycott should develop.

The Alaska relief programme went forward with announcement the steamship Arctic, chartered by the Federal Government from the Alaska Packers' Corporation, will sail from Oakland tomorrow.

Nazis Score Moscow "Gang"

Canadian Press from Havana
Goslar, Germany, Nov. 30.—A scathing indictment of the "Jewish gang" in Moscow by General Hermann W. Goering, air minister and Prussian premier, and other high Nazi officials today added new fuel to the dispute between Germany and the Soviet Union.

Addressing the German Peasants' Congress here yesterday evening, the air minister charged Soviet leaders with responsibility for the "accuse" of international communism and warned that the German army of today was even more powerful than that of 1914.

FARMERS HEAR APPEAL
Agriculture Minister Walther Darré and Rudolf Hess, Chancellor Hitler's personal deputy, joined Goering in warning German farmers that their complete co-operation toward fulfillment of Hitler's four-year economic plan was of vital importance to meet the "communist threat."

Contest For Mayor Assures Campaign Of Much Interest

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money and prompt action against any person who may be found guilty of mishandling funds.

FRANCHISE ISSUE
A B.C. Electric franchise fair to all means a square deal to citizens and the company, with an understandable agreement to be lived up to by the letter, with no loopholes for subsequent backsliding.

Mayor Leeming outlined his platform in brief as follows:

"My main aim is to preserve the solvency of the city and keep taxation as low as possible under the circumstances."

Realizing Victoria's future for many years to come lies in her development as a tourist and residential city, I shall do all I can, as in the past, to develop this line of activity. The tourist travel this year has increased to a point 200 per cent above what it was three years ago and in the past season was productive of very material revenues to the business men of Victoria and the island.

"It should not be overlooked that Victoria, according to figures compiled by the comptroller, made no cash provision from 1931 to 1936 for the enormous sum of \$3,353,809. Prior to 1931 the city was taking full care of all its obligations and since then, in order not to increase the taxes beyond our ability to pay, we had to resort to the refunding of serial debentures, to foregoing sinking fund levies, to borrowing from the government and the bank and to taking profits from the Winking fund, to cover this enormous figure of \$3,353,809."

LEAVES IGNORED
"During the year 1936, in order to keep taxation down as far as possible, we did not levy for \$667,000. This sum was covered by not levying for \$495,000 capital payments on debt, by anticipating a loan from the provincial government of \$100,000 on account of unemployment relief and by using a nest egg of \$72,000."

"In 1937 we shall not be able to make provision for our refunding of serial debentures, neither can we get the loan from the provincial government, and the nest egg no longer exists. Consequently we shall not be able to finance for the year 1937 and we will either have to get aid from our creditors, the bondholders, by readjustment of our capital payments and reduction of interest, or go bankrupt."

"When I first ran for mayor in 1931 I stated the problem of Victoria at that time and for several years to come would be one of finance, and since that time the problem has become more intensified."

Representatives of Toronto bond interests, Jules Fortin and his assistant, are due to arrive here tomorrow and they will make an investigation on the ground of the financial condition as well as the financial standing of the city. Mr. Fortin will be here as a result of the delegates' recent visit to London and Toronto on the debt refunding issue and on his findings and the action of the bondholders' committees in London and Toronto will hinge the question of our solvency or otherwise."

NO TIME TO CHANGE
"I cannot imagine the taxpayers of Victoria making a change in the mayor's office under the circumstances and I feel sure that the electors will again express their confidence in myself and allow me to carry on until such time as our solvency is re-established."

"I offered myself for this office in the first place with that object in view and I have never departed for one moment from this endeavor since my election in December, 1931. We've gone through the most difficult five years in Victoria's history and we are by no means out of the woods."

"I'm expecting, however, that we shall succeed in having our debt readjusted and that the year 1937 will prove to be the beginning of our way out."

SECRET PACT TERMS DENIED

Berlin-Tokio Agreement Depreciated By British Foreign Secretary

Canadian Press
London, Nov. 30.—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden threw cold water on the Berlin-Tokio anti-Communist crusade during questions on the Foreign Office in the House of Commons today.

The German Foreign Minister, Mr. Eden said, had informed Sir Eric Phipps, British ambassador at Berlin, that there was no military or other alliance between Germany and Japan.

The Japanese Foreign Minister had informed the British ambassador at Tokyo that there were no secret clauses at all in the agreements.

DIVISIONS OPPOSED
"His Majesty's government," Mr. Eden added, "have explicitly deprecated any tendency to divide the world into conflicting camps, especially on ideological grounds. Their policy continues to be to promote, so far as lies in their power, friendly relations with all nations."

Members on both sides of the house murmured their approval.

In some quarters, Mr. Eden's statement was taken as a dampener on French hopes of a military accord amongst Britain, France and Belgium.

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Restaurant Complaints in Vancouver B.C. Resident At Scottish Function

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called to the stand, said he had not encountered any restaurants with the abuses mentioned by Mr. Grimshaw.

Figures quoted by the license inspector indicated there were eighty-eight restaurant licenses issued to Orientals this year and 104 in 1935.

SLOT MACHINES
Investigation of slot machine operation in Vancouver was reopened today by Detective Percy Pitts, who told of seizing machines in the Irish Canadian Club and the Newspaper Men's Club.

"How about the Pacific Athletic Club," asked R. L. Maitland, K.C., commission counsel.

"I was in there only once," Detective Pitts said. "We examined the basement floors, but saw no evidence of gambling and no slot machines. We were not upstairs."

The witness said warnings had been issued to numerous bootlegging establishments to remove slot machines. He explained it was difficult to obtain convictions against slot machine owners.

Several detectives were called today. They denied that Vancouver's criminal element was protected from prosecution by a widespread "pay-off system."

PROVINCIAL CHARTERS
Recalled to the stand, Superintendent Herbert Darling told Commissioner Macdonald there were no Dominion licenses for clubs. He said clubs obtained their charters from the provincial government after a recommendation by Vancouver city police. There was no provincial club license except for those with the right to serve liquor, he testified.

JAPAN'S BIRTHS INCREASE
Tokyo, Nov. 30 (Associated Press).—Japan recorded the world's highest birth rate during 1935, a complete census tabulation disclosed today. Records showed 2,190,703 births, an increase of 146,921 over 1934, and a rate of 31.63 births per 1,000 population.

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Earth Shocks In California

Associated Press
Los Angeles, Nov. 30.—A slight earthquake, rattling windows but doing no damage, was reported in the vicinity of Bell, between this city and Long Beach, last last night.

Ecuador Army Revolt Fails

Twenty-nine Wounded in
Unsuccessful Uprising of
Regiment; Many Arrested

Quito, Ecuador, Nov. 30.—It was officially announced twenty-nine persons were wounded in the unsuccessful revolt of a regiment in the Ecuadorian army on Saturday. Many persons were arrested in the uprising, including Pedro Velasco Ibarra, brother of former President Velasco Ibarra, and several foreigners. The daily newspaper El Dia was closed and its directors, Ricardo Jaramillo, imprisoned.

It was officially announced the revolt of a section of the Calderon regiment was suppressed after four hours' fighting. A sergeant started the hostilities by shooting and wounding the regiment's commander, Gustin Pazmino. Soldiers then began firing at officials who ran out of the barracks, killing Captain Carlos Pena Herrera and Second Lieut. Bolivar Herrera.

The insurgent soldiers sent emissaries seeking support of other battalions in the garrison city, but they were answered with shots. The insurgents were surrounded and the uprising finally put down. **MINISTER SEIZED**

Aurelio Bayas, Minister of the Interior, was seized by the insurgents and held prisoner in the Calderon regiment's barracks during the entire hostilities. He was en route to the presidential palace when he inadvertently stepped into the middle of the revolt.

Temperance Act May Be Amended

Appeal to Privy Council on
Federal Measure With-
drawn; Ontario Counties
in Test

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—Withdrawal of the appeal on the validity of the Canada Temperance Act from the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council in London may be followed by an amendment to that act to clear up a somewhat confused situation resulting from the enactment of liquor control measures in the different provinces of Canada.

The act came before the Privy Council in the form of an appeal from the Supreme Court of Canada, which had ruled it was in force in three Ontario counties—Perth, Peel and Huron. At the same time the Supreme Court refused to decide on the general question of the validity of the act.

The Dominion Government in its reference to the court had asked for a decision as to whether it was in force in the counties in question, and the Ontario government, while contending it was not in force there, pressed for a ruling the act was ultra vires of the Parliament of Canada.

ENFORCEMENT MEASURES

It was pointed out the Dominion Government has no means of enforcing a liquor law, law enforcement being under the control of the provinces, and the present liquor laws in Ontario and other provinces provide means for local sentiment in favor of or against the clauses of the Canada Temperance Act.

The whole act, however, is unlikely to be repealed as some of its clauses are essential to the operation of the provincial liquor control systems.

Aberhart Sees Big Social Credit Gains

Canadian Press
Edmonton, Nov. 30.—Premier William Aberhart told the Edmonton Prophetic Bible Conference yesterday evening the Social Credit movement was gaining ground in all parts of Canada.

The leader of the one Social Credit government in the world said the movement was sweeping British Columbia like a prairie fire. It was gaining ground steadily in Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Quebec, Ontario and the east were "awakening very nicely," he said.

Black Legion Men Convicted

Five at Detroit Found Guilty
of Murder of Negro; to Be
Sentenced Friday

Associated Press
Detroit, Nov. 30.—Five members of the Black Legion remained in jail today awaiting the preparation of probation reports which must be submitted to recorder's Judge Donald Van Zile before he will pronounce the mandatory life sentences for first degree murder.

The five men were convicted by a jury Saturday night on charges of first degree murder for the "thrill" shooting of Silas Coleman, forty-two-year-old negro Great War veteran in a swamp near Pinckney, Mich., in May, 1935.

Judge Van Zile indicated he would sentence them next Friday. Those convicted are Harvey Davis, Black Legion "colonel," Ervin D. Lee, Charles Rouse, James Roy Lorraine and John Bannerman. Davis, Bannerman and Lee, already are under life sentences for the killing of Charles A. Poole near Detroit—the crime which placed law enforcement officers on the trail of the hooded terrorist band.

New Mayor Of Winnipeg Named

Dr. F. E. Warriner Declared
Victor in Fourth P.R. Count
of Ballots

Winnipeg, Nov. 30.—Dr. F. E. Warriner, Independent, will be Winnipeg's next mayor. With a majority of 1,749 over Mayor John Queen, M.P.P., Independent Labor Party nominee, he was declared elected on the fourth count of the ballots cast in the polling last Friday.

Dr. Warriner was elected on the transfer of ballots of three other candidates—Lieut.-Col. R. H. Webb, eight times mayor of Winnipeg; T. W. Kilshaw, Independent, and T. O. Woods, Independent—who were eliminated. The final count, with some of the ballots eliminated because of no second choices, was: Warriner, 29,866; Queen, 27,917.

Dr. Warriner, veteran member of the Winnipeg school board, achieved the majority on his first bid. Graduated in dentistry from University of Toronto in 1907, he came to Winnipeg in 1912. He organized dental clinics at the General Hospital and the children's home at suburban Tuxedo. He was first elected to the public school board in 1929.

Counting of ballots in the aldermanic and school trustee elections, held last Friday, was still in progress today. Alderman E. D. Hoppeyman, Independent, had been re-elected in Ward One; Alderman James Simpkins, Labor, in Ward Two; and Alderman M. A. Gray, Labor, in Ward Three. Members of the school board elected are Mrs. Gerhard Hebert and J. M. T. Bulman, Independents, in Ward One; W. R. Milton, Independent, in Ward Two; and William Scraba, Independent, in Ward Three.

Paris Spanish Debate Challenge

Communists Ask Blum to
Discuss Civil War "Before
the Masses"

Associated Press
Paris, Nov. 30.—French Communists have challenged Premier Blum and Foreign Minister Yvon Delbois to debate "before the masses" the Spanish civil war question.

In a letter to the Popular Front, a committee of the Paris district of the Communist party yesterday evening asserted there "was an obvious difference of opinion on the Spanish question between the government and the masses" and referred to street parade cries of "Arms for Spain."

They suggested Premier Blum and M. Deloix meet with a Communist and a "representative of another part of the Popular Front favorable to raising the blockade against the Spanish government" in open debate at the Palais des Sports.

STRIKE ARBITRATION
The latest Communist attack against government adherence to the non-intervention agreement followed cabinet approval of Blum's plans to keep industrial peace by compulsory arbitration of strikes.

The government's promise to apply the forty-hour week to metallurgical industries December 6 resulted in an announcement by the metal workers that no general strike in that industry now was contemplated.

But there were strikes in other regions.

Five ships were held idle at Nantes, where dockers quit in sympathy with Bordeaux dock strikers.

Roubaix strikers evacuated coal yards which they had occupied for weeks and began talks with employers looking toward wage settlements.

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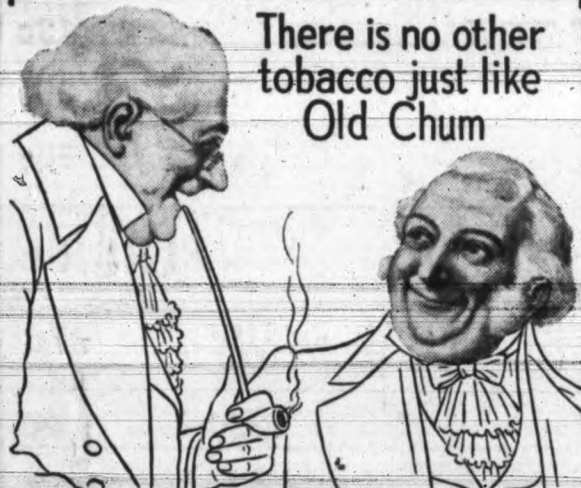
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After the "Shirts"

GREAT BRITAIN'S PUBLIC Order Bill now before the British Parliament is being made light of by Sir Oswald Mosley, the "black-shirt" or Fascist leader, who professes to believe that it was the outcome of "a nice, quiet tea-party," whereas the government and the opposition "agreed upon legislation to suppress an opponent." The Manchester Guardian, however, points out that the measure is not quite so complimentary as that to Mosley's own position in the political scheme of things.

It is to be noted that the legislation in question is not aimed at the suppression of any new political party that may now exist, or may be formed later on, in Great Britain. And then, as The Guardian goes on to say, least of all is it aimed "at the scuttling of one that is so unimportant from the electoral point of view as the Fascist movement."

What the bill does attempt, on the other hand, to insist on is that any new parties which may arise shall conform to the older traditions of British public life and shall not seek to promote their special interests by the formation of private armies on the model of those which have brought so much turmoil to Continental Europe that several Scandinavian countries long ago forbade the wearing of uniforms for purposes of political propaganda. The text of the measure, moreover, would appear to be entirely reasonable, and, as the recent clashes in London's East End have proven, a necessary one for the preservation of law and order—the prevention of racial and religious feuds.

Great Britain, by the way, gives plenty of rope to all those ardent souls who from time to time voluntarily impose upon themselves the job of remaking the world according to patterns of their own conception. Officialdom almost invariably furnishes them with adequate police protection in order that they may "let off steam" to their heart's content. But the rope is usually given a very decided jerk when there is the least suspicion of any advocacy of the overthrow of Britain's traditional institutions by force.

In the case of Sir Oswald Mosley and his "black-shirts," of course, a situation presents itself which is quite different from that presented every Sunday afternoon at the Marble Arch end of Hyde Park. Those voluble gentlemen who for years have furnished entertainment for native and foreigner alike may have imported their nostrums from various parts of the world, but they have no uniformed following which stands for the doctrine as practised by Mussolini, Hitler and Franco.

Signor Herr-Senor Mosley has placed himself at the head of a movement which has for its chief aim the formation of a Fascist government in Great Britain. In other words, the Public Order Bill now under consideration by the British Parliament, in the main, is a recognition of this fact. The present government is "not having any."

As Premier Baldwin said the other day, speaking on the subject of the Neutrality Agreement in connection with Spain's civil war: "I don't think there was any Fascism in Italy before Communism began. The same thing was true of Germany. Force beget force, as it always does. In this country, thank God, these two forces are not worth the snap of my fingers. A curious feature is that at this moment in England we are reversing the process of Italy and Germany. The petty efforts of the Fascists are making Communists. We will take jolly good care than neither of them will take root."

King Edward's Physician-in-Ordinary, Lord Horder, referring to Fascists and Nazis the other day, put the average Briton's view of these Continental European movements into five words when he said: "A plague on both blouses." Obviously he has a definite opinion of "black-shirts" and "brown-shirts."

British Labor Views

CURRENT POLITICAL NEWS from Britain must include mention of "The Demand for Colonial Territories and Equality of Economic Opportunity," a pamphlet which sets out the views of an advisory committee of the National Executive Committee of the Labor Party.

The committee rejects the suggestion that British or any other colonial territory should be given or mandated to Germany or Italy. "Any proposals for transfer either of sovereignty or mandatory responsibility are open to grave objections," the committee says. "They represent in effect, an attempt to keep dissatisfied powers quiet by paying blackmail."

The committee condemns colonial preference and believe the "removal of discrimination... should most emphatically be undertaken."

They advocate that the government should revert to the policy of the "open door," that is, equality of trading opportunity for all nations in the British colonial dependencies, should free the country from the Ottawa Trade Agreements and work towards the formation of a low tariff group open to all countries on equal terms. Such a policy, the committee believe, would constitute "the most effective part which the British Empire could play in averting the threats to

world peace implied in the present stranglehold of international trade."

The committee modify their resistance to any transfer of mandate by stating that such a transfer could only be considered if the changes were part of a general settlement including "disarmament, collective security, and the return of the dissatisfied powers to a real League and if the consent of the population were obtained."

The pamphlet is advisory and the Labor Party is not bound by all its recommendations. Canadians, naturally, are vitally interested in the attitude of Labor, as the official opposition party, towards the Ottawa Trade Agreements and the whole tariff question. On the question of the disposal of mandated territories, the Labor views are significant. It is certain these views will be welcomed by the body of Conservatives in the British House of Commons who represent the firm opposition to any proposals for transferring mandates.

Pay Taxes Before Thursday

THE REAL ESTATE BOARD OF Victoria is giving the taxpayers of the city excellent advice when it suggests to them that they pay their 1936 taxes before Thursday of this week (December 3), in order that they may save themselves a penalty of 3 per cent, which will be added to the total of the unpaid tax bill on that date.

Not only will the taxpayers be rendering a service to themselves by preventing the additional 3 per cent drain on their pocketbooks, but they also will be contributing substantial financial assistance to their city. The more money finding its normal way into the municipal coffers means less dependence upon borrowed capital—upon which the taxpayers, indirectly, have to pay another tax.

Many property holders, of course, are wondering how they are going to continue to pay the annual impost on their homes, which has increased to breaking point within the last year or so, with very little prospect of growing less onerous. Meanwhile, however, those who have the funds no doubt will heed the advice of the Real Estate Board.

Still Improving

CONTINUED GAINS FROM month to month in Canada's external trade, together with domestic turnover in general, is reflected in the employment statistics for the five main economic areas for the first nine months of 1936, compared with the corresponding period a year ago. These are as follows:

CANADA	Oct. 1 1936	Oct. 1 1935
General Industrial Employment	102.0	97.7
Maritime Industries: General	116.0	110.6
Province of Quebec: General	97.8	95.2
Province of Ontario: General	104.2	99.9
Prairie Provinces: General	87.8	83.1
British Columbia: General	100.4	98.3

Adjustment has been made for seasonal variations, and the figures have been expressed as percentages of the average monthly figures for the years 1925 to 1929. The indices are based upon data published by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Twelve months from now there is every prospect that, with external trade either at or near to the two-billion-dollar mark, an even more imposing picture of the employment situation will be available.

Labor Shortage Coming?

THE THEORY ADVANCED BY some of our social experts that unemployment in volume is with us on this continent to stay, that it is, in fact, incurable because of labor displacement in this neo-machine age, is not endorsed by Dr. Harold G. Moulton, head of the Brookings Institution. Dr. Moulton predicts an actual labor shortage within the next five years if industrial production continues its present rate of recovery to the 1929 limit.

The published results of the research conducted during the last two years by the Brookings Institution indicate that our productive machine, instead of being geared too high, is geared too low if the legitimate needs of the people are to be met. The published volumes bring out effectively the soundness of the doctrine of increased production at lower prices as the most effective way of increasing consumption and "sharing the wealth."

We have tended recently to overlook the fact that there is no question of overproduction. There still remains a serious problem of underconsumption. It is only too evident that we are still consuming less than we need and less than we can produce. If, as The New York Herald-Tribune has been reminding us, we can keep prices low and increase production, we shall be able greatly to increase consumption. As consumption increases, demand for greater production will also increase. This, in turn, will wipe out unemployment. We have become inured to unwarranted pessimism, but the outlook is not so dark as we have chosen to see it.

Notes

Mussolini has abolished the courts and substituted Fascist committees. It seems strange how much liberty those Italians can put up with.

Instead of the \$50,000,000 predicted, Canadian tourists, according to the Department of National Revenue returns, will during 1936 have brought back only \$3,000,000 worth of goods from the United States under the \$100 duty exemption. One reason for the small total is that motor tourists spend most of their money on actual traveling and have little left with which to lay in a stock of goods. Another is that since wage levels have been raised in many industries, notably dress goods, in the United States, prices there are not as attractive to the Canadian tourist as they were formerly.

Loose Ends

The tribe of Cuppingtons continues to make life miserable—they have a soft heart in Vancouver—the thinking still goes on—and Russell speaks out like an Englishman.

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

HOMICIDE

IF THEY FIND my friend Joe Cuppington dead on the Causeway some morning, clutching the latest novel in his cold hands, you can assume that I killed him, as painfully as possible, to rid the world of a menace.

Joe is one of those people who recommend books to their friends. No sooner do you meet him on the street than his eye begins to light up with a fiendish light. "Have you read 'Gone with the Wind'?" asks Joe in a feverish whisper. "Oh, you must read 'Gone with the Wind,'" says Joe, and then for fifteen minutes Joe is gone with the wind talking about his great new discovery. In the end, to escape, you have to promise to get the book and read it.

Often he insists on loaning it to you himself, forces it on you, thrusts it into your hand or leaves it at your house like an unwanted baby. Scores of times I have returned Joe's books without reading them and then, when meeting Joe again, I have lied brilliantly about their contents. After a while, by letting Joe do most of the talking, you can feign a remarkable knowledge of a book you have never opened.

I single out Joe only as an egregious example of the book-recommending tribe. There are hundreds of others. They seem to thrive in this climate and multiply and proliferate and become more virulent all the time. They don't spawn their new books to spread knowledge and broaden culture. They thrust them on you to satisfy their own vanity, to bolster up their frail egos, to indicate to you in a subtle way what cultured fellows they are, to appear learned in their own eyes, to gain a certain superiority over you, as if they had discovered not a new book but a new continent. I suppose a psycho-analyst would find that they were compensating themselves, these poor starving minds, for some terrible inward lack, some misfortune in love, some suppressed desire.

This disagreeable traffic in books, this attempt to ram your own prejudices, whims and frailties down your neighbor's throat, does nothing for the increase of knowledge. On the contrary, it only prevents men of character reading any new books at all. They refuse to be badgered by inferior minds like Joe's. They suspect any book he and his tribe recommend. After all, they have their pride. Why, I have almost stopped reading anything but the comic-strips since Joe began to work on me.

So, if you find Joe dead, hit on the head by a package of his own books, you will know that the book-worm has turned at last. It is time someone led a revolt against this tyranny.

BIG HEART

VANCOUVER, it seems, also has its softer side. A few days ago, The Province published a set of pictures showing half a dozen dogs confined in the city pound and doomed to die unless somebody came along and bailed them out. Before the paper had been on the street two hours, every dog in the pound had been bailed out and taken away. Nothing could speak more eloquently of Vancouver's big heart.

I wonder if Victoria can say as much for itself. In Vancouver, the poundkeeper says he seldom has to execute a dog because some kind soul always takes mercy on every stray mongrel. But they tell me that here in Victoria many of them have to be slaughtered because nobody wants them. It would be interesting to hear what happens in our pound and see how we compare with our neighbor, for there is no better indication of civic character than the treatment of animals.

STILL THINKING

DURING THE DEPTH of the depression it was notable, and often noted here, how many people wrote to the newspapers about everything under the sun. Hard times made them think, made them yearn for utterance, brought them new political and economic revelations of a varied character.

You will note, however, that even though the depression is regarded officially as almost over, still the letters pour into the newspapers. I shall refuse to believe that the depression is over so long as the present blizzard continues. I shall suspect that everything is not well so long as people fill two columns of this paper almost every night with their revelations and their protests.

Or can it be that the habit of thought provoked by the depression has become permanent? Can it be that a new generation of thinkers has been bred by the worst of times? Is it too much to hope that people have learned something in the last seven years? Yes, probably they have, but by the time the next crisis arises all our knowledge and by the time we have really learned may be out of date. This usually happens. We are generally a generation behind events with our something it has turned out to be antiquated or erroneous. But so long as they keep filling the correspondence columns of the papers there will still be hope.

BEST BRAIN

BERTRAND RUSSELL, who, despite his curious domestic notions, probably ranks as one of Britain's best brains, writes in the new magazine, Coronet, that "Great Britain, ever since the end of the War, has been impotent in regard to all the major questions that have arisen in international affairs." He proceeds to demonstrate, with the ruthless self-criticism which is the strongest trait of British character, that the British government has consistently bungled Britain's foreign policy since the war, got Britain into an extremely difficult situation and badly damaged the cause of peace, frequently with the best intentions in the world.

This is the judgment of Russell, one of Britain's great brains. The article should be read by everyone in the empire because such facts should be faced. What we should try to understand in this country, what we have never understood because of our dingy national inferiority complex, is that the statesmen of Britain are not always right and the statesmen of Canada are not always wrong. Up to now the wisdom of Downing Street has always been accepted like the law of gravity and the warmth of the sun, while the inferiority of Canadian statescraft has been recognized as sad but inevitable.

This country is just beginning to think for itself on world affairs. It should trust itself. They can think just as well in Ottawa as London. After all that has happened in Europe, Ottawa is the only safe place for our final thinking to be done.

Never worry about great evils. The evils that last are the ones that never make us quite sore enough to lick them.

How people would roar if the government deliberately wasted the country's resources as the people themselves do.

JOSEPH ROSE

Optometrist

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What Whistles Mean

From The Canadian National Railways Magazine

To answer many questions which are directed at train crews and operating men from time to time, here are some of the more common signals and their meanings:

From the locomotive:

One short blast—Applying brakes for stop.

Two long blasts—Train about to start.

One long and three short—Send flagman to protect rear of train.

Four long blasts—Flagman may return from west or south, governed by direction in which train is headed. (Single or double track.)

Five long blasts—Flagman to return from east or north.

Three short blasts, when train standing—Engineer intends to back train. (When train running)—Acknowledgment of signal to stop at next station.

Four short blasts—Calling for signals.

One long and two short blasts—Calling attention of other engines or trains to signals displayed which indicate a following section. This must be acknowledged by engineer of opposite train.

Two long and two short blasts—Approaching highway grade crossing or sections of track where vision is obscured.

One prolonged blast—Approaching stations, junctions, draw-bridges and crossings of other railroads at grade.

Succession of short blasts—Persons or live stock on track ahead of engine.

Three short blasts, pause, followed by three short blasts—Notifying track-foremen of fire on or near right of way.

One short and one long blast—When "double-heading," air brakes have failed on leading engine and second engine is to take control of them. This is answered by same signal from second engine as soon as it has taken control.

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Two fairly long blasts—When standing, go ahead.

Two short—When running, stop at next station or flag stop. When standing—back up.

Four short—When standing, apply or release air brakes. When running—reduce speed.

Five short—When standing, recall flagmen. When running—increase speed.

Six short—When running—Increase steam heat to train.

Seven short—When running—release stoking brake.

One prolonged blast—Approaching points where steam heat is to be disconnected—shut off steam heat.

Two short, one long—Approaching meeting or waiting points.

MEDICAL ENCYCLOPEDIA

The publication of the Large Soviet Medical Encyclopedia undertaken nine years ago has been completed at Moscow. The encyclopedia consists of thirty-six volumes, containing 6,396 articles and 80,000 scientific terms which cover ninety-six medical and kindred disciplines.

The authors and the editors of the encyclopedia were twenty academicians, 692 professors and 1,600 research-workers.

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BETTER ENGLISH By D. C. Williams

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "Apples are very healthy."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "area?"

3. Which one of these words is misspelled: Acquiesce, acquatic, acquittal, acquiescent.

4. What does the word "ardent" mean?

5. What word beginning with "in" means "necessary?"

Answers: 1. Say "healthful." "Healthy" means possessing health, as "the boy is healthy." 2. Pronounce a-r-e-a, first a as in "day," e as in "me." 3. Acquiesce, acquatic, acquittal, acquiescent. 4. "He was an ardent student of the Bible." 5. Indispensable.

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From The West Coast Advocate
Grand prize for the largest Tyee salmon caught in the canal here during the past season was awarded by the Alberni Hardware Co. to Mr. E. Boylan—a fine fishing rod. Mr. Boylan's fish tipped the scales at fifty pounds, and it took him an hour and a half to land with regulation rod and tackle.

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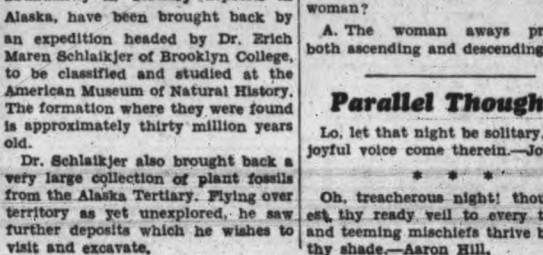
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Head of Imperial Bank Is Confident

Depression Will Be "Something in the Past" Next Year, Says F. A. Rolph, President; Plenty of Money Available For Commercial Loans

The annual statement of the Imperial Bank of Canada is the first statement of the Canadian banks to be presented indicating the general business trends during the preceding twelve months. This year deposits show a very large increase and the liquid position of the bank has been maintained at a high level.

At the sixty-second annual meeting in Toronto last Wednesday F. A. Rolph, the president, interestingly reviewed the business of the year and the outlook for the immediate future, while A. E. Phipps, the general manager, reviewed at length the bank's operations and closed his address with the statement that he hoped at the next annual meeting of the bank it would not be necessary to allude to the depression, which would, at that time, be considered something in the past.

Mr. Rolph opened his remarks by referring to the statement as a gratifying one to the directors and, he hoped, to the whole body of shareholders. He stated that the total assets of the bank were the second largest since its inception.

BETTER WAGES
Proceeding to discuss the business situation in Canada, and some of the problems to be met, Mr. Rolph said that there was evidence of improvement indicated by increased prices of agricultural products, better wages and a greater demand for electric energy. He referred to the improvement in the pulp and paper industry, the greater production in heavier industries and in flour-milling. Mining, he said, had become a major factor in our progressive record.

Respecting agriculture, the president said: "Owing to drought early crops, particularly in certain parts of Ontario and the southern parts of the prairie provinces, suffered, but later crops were more bountiful. In many sections of the west the wheat crop, while short in quantity, was excellent in quality, and with largely increased prices ruling over a year ago, resulted in more money in the farmers' pockets."

An extended reference was made to Canada's foreign trade and the splendid record of advance in both imports and exports, especially during the last nine months.

EFFORTS TO BALANCE BUDGETS
Mr. Rolph discussed the large total of public debt, which he said is still increasing and continues to cause anxiety. He was glad to observe, however, that there is evidence of improvement with a real effort on the part of most governing bodies to balance their budgets and in some cases with a considerable measure of success. It was his opinion that until this is wholly accomplished it will necessarily retard general progress.

He referred to the present disposition to secure the scaling down of debts. He said that a great deal had already been accomplished along these lines and a great deal still remains to be done. But he feels it should not be overlooked that the creditor class as a general rule is willing to make generous settlements with debtors who, through force of circumstances, are unable to meet their obligations. He observed, however, that this is necessarily a matter for private negotiation between debtor and creditor.

DEPOSITS GREATER
Mr. Phipps in his address reviewed the progress of the bank during the year just closed. He referred to the maintenance of the bank's strong liquid position and to the very large increase in total deposits. He referred as well to the standing of current loans which are now, in round figures, \$10,000,000, less than a year ago. In this department of the bank's activities Mr. Phipps said:

"There has been a very general decrease in commercial loans in Canada, largely on account of liquidation of large wheat carryover in western Canada, the bank having a substantial share of that business. The current loans in Canada of all the chartered banks decreased during the year from \$839,000,000 to \$687,000,000 or \$152,000,000."

The general manager continued: "The cash holdings of the bank are \$20,818,869, in addition to which there is \$2,500,000 in Dominion of Canada treasury bills instantly available, bringing the cash position to \$23,318,869 or 17.4 per cent of public liabilities. The total liquid assets amount to \$92,448,072 or 69.5 per cent of liabilities to the public. The bank's security holdings, comprising Dominion, provincial and municipal bonds increased by nearly \$20,000,000 during the year, or from \$29,397,871 to \$49,397,871."

NO LACK OF FUNDS
Mr. Phipps estimated that available banking funds in Canada are at a total of \$2,500,000,000 against total current loans, including loans to provincial governments and municipalities of \$20,000,000. These figures, he contended, indicate that there is no lack of funds for commercial or other credit in accordance with sound banking practice. The Canadian banks, he asserted, are ready and willing to assist recovery in a general way.

Mr. Phipps produced an interesting estimate of the primary production in Canada for 1936 which showed an increase of \$248,000,000 over 1935.

He concluded with an inspiring note: "It is now evident," he said, "that the bottom of the depression was reached in 1933 and each year I have closed my remarks by pointing out

Sees Universe Rushing Apart

New Expansion Evidence Is Presented By Astronomer

By ROBERT D. POTTER
Science Service Staff Writer

New Scientific evidence that the universe is expanding, and a stilling of the fears of those people who worry because the sun and the stars are "quickly" destroying themselves by turning their mass into the radiation they emit, is presented in The Astrophysical Journal.

M. Henri Mineur, astronomer at the Observatory of Paris, reports calculations showing that the stars of the Milky Way, despite their age of tens of thousands of millions of years, have only radiated away about one hundredth of their mass.

Thus if one takes M. Mineur's estimate that Milky Way stars are from ten to twenty billion years old, the apparent age of the universe, before all the mass is radiated away, would be about a trillion years. Compared to the life of a man who lives to be seventy-five years old the star galaxy which contains the earth and the Milky Way is only a baby, about nine months old, and cutting its first teeth.

Significant to astronomers is M. Mineur's calculations showing that the stars in the Milky Way must have been formed in the beginning with almost the same mass which they have today. Present-held theories of star evolution, therefore, must go by the board if the French astronomer's calculations and the observations on which they are based are correct.

Says the French astronomer: "The upper limit we have found for the age of the stars is so small that, in so brief a time, the great majority of the stars cannot have lost more than a hundredth part of their mass. We must therefore believe that the stars were formed with nearly the same masses as they have now, and that the differences in temperature and spectral type actually observed are due to the fact that the stellar masses were already different at the time of their formation."

"An evolution of the stars such as has been generally accepted is, then, impossible. Our result is, however, in perfect agreement with the theory of the expansion of the universe. G. Lemaitre has suggested a hypothesis for the formation of the extragalactic nebulae based upon his theory of the expansion of the universe, according to which the age of the Milky Way would not exceed ten thousand million years."

The G. Lemaitre referred to is the well-known Abbe Lemaitre, Belgian astronomer who has frequently visited America and has been attached to the faculty of Massachusetts Institute of Technology and also on the staff at Mt. Wilson Observatory. Abbe Lemaitre's hypothesis on the expansion of the universe is now generally accepted among astronomers. It postulates that at some distant time in the past there was a gigantic explosion which sent the component parts of the universe into an expansion which is still going on. The various stars and galaxies are rushing away from one another with velocities as high as 15,000 miles per second. Experimental verification of this "pushing-apartness" of the universe comes from observations on the red-denning of the light from distant stars and nebulae. This red shift, or lengthening of the wavelengths of the light from the distant stars, is the optical equivalent of the case in sound where the pitch of a railroad train's whistle becomes lower, or deeper in tone as the train passes an observer.

Gold Near Washington

Since gold was first discovered in Virginia in 1789 over \$3,119,000 worth has been mined. The gold deposits come within a few miles of Washington at Great Falls on the Potomac River according to Dr. C. F. Park Jr. of the U.S. Geological Survey in a report to the Virginia Geological Survey at the University of Virginia at University, Va.

Will Discuss Bus Schedule

Changes in the Gorge and Lake Hill bus routes will be discussed this evening at a public meeting for Saanich residents to be held at Mount View High School at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be held for the benefit of residents in Wards Two, Four and Seven.

Proposed alterations of the Coach Lines will be outlined by Conway Parrott and Thomas Kay. The change the company is seeking to introduce is one destined to form a single Lake Hill-depot-Gorge service, giving a non-peak hours and twenty minute service during the rush periods.

The present schedule on both lines provides a half-hourly service in non-peak hours and twenty minutes service from 4:30 to 6:30, the peak hours. In addition to giving a twenty-five minute service the new schedule would extend the peak period from 3:30 to 7:30 o'clock.

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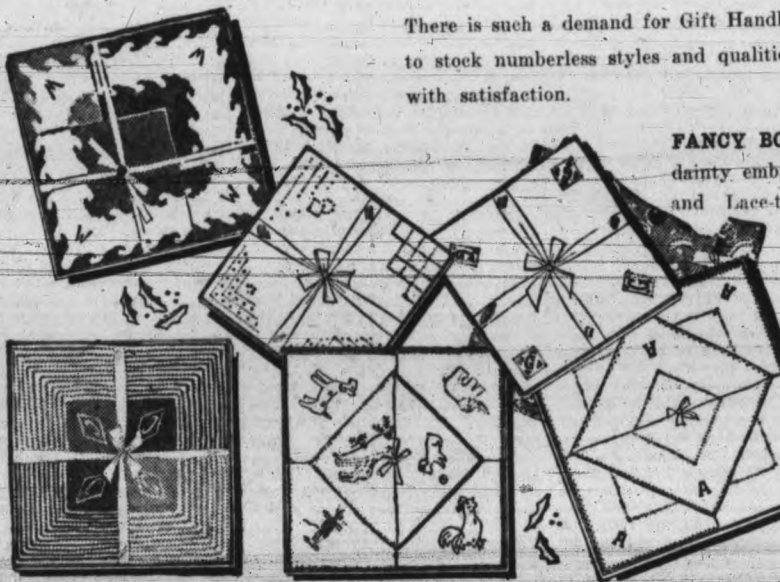
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Weddings

KNIGHT—COOK

A pretty wedding took place at St. Michael's and All Angels' Church, Chemainus, Friday evening, November 27, when Mabel Janet, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Cook, Chemainus, became the bride of Alfred Eric Knight, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knight, Chemainus, Rev. T. L. Hipp officiating. The church had been beautifully decorated by the Altar Guild with pink chrysanthemums and greenery. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of rust crepe with hat and accessories to match, and carried a sheaf of bronze chrysanthemums. The bride's sister, Miss Gladys Cook, was bridesmaid in a navy blue costume with hat and accessories. Her bouquet was of pale yellow chrysanthemums. Charles Sherlock of Alberni supported the groom.

A buffet supper was served at the home of the bride's parents. Supper was served from a table centred by the three-tier wedding cake, a gift from the bride's aunt, Mrs. R. Robertson. The floral decorations were white carnations and white chrysanthemums. The bride's mother received in a silver brown crepe costume with brown hat, assisted by the groom's mother in blue green with black hat, both wearing corsage bouquets of gardenias and roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Knight left later for Victoria, where they are spending their honeymoon.

Among the many gifts was a dinner service from the planing mill staff of the Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company, where the groom is employed. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. Gard, Victoria, and Mabel Thorneycroft and Mr. Samuel Thorneycroft of Nanaimo.

DUNNING—WHITE

The marriage of Miss Hazel Alice White and Mr. Myron Ernest Dunning, both of Victoria, took place very quietly at the home of the officiating minister, Prof. G. E. Johnson, 401 John Street, on Saturday, December 28.

W.M.S. to Invite Dominion Head

At the monthly meeting of the United Church W.M.S. Presbytery on Friday afternoon in the First United Church parlors, with the president, Mrs. W. J. G. Graham in the chair, Mrs. W. G. Wilson of the advisory board, brought news of the return from Japan of the W.M.S. Dominion president, Mrs. G. E. Forbes, this coming week. It has been suggested that the Presbytery meeting be postponed until the third week in March, if Mrs. Forbes can be secured as the guest-speaker for that occasion. She is expected to be in British Columbia again that month to attend the branch meeting to be held in Vancouver. If the above plans carry, the January executive meeting will be held on the fourth Friday.

Miss G. Baker was appointed convener of the billeting committee. The executive will finance the traveling expenses and secure ticket for one delegate from each society, and will do its best to billet as many as wish to pay their way to the Presbytery. This includes delegates from Mission Bands, C.G.I.T. groups and Young Women's Auxiliaries.

Mrs. A. Chisholm was appointed convener of the programme committee.

The corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. A. Flett, read letters she had received concerning the work among the Oriental children at Dunbar, and the information will be presented by Mrs. W. G. Wilson at the advisory board in Vancouver next week.

Reports from several secretaries were received. Mrs. F. W. Laing reported having sent several parcels of clothing to the Peace River district. The executive were sorry to learn that Mrs. D. A. Girvin, Duncan, had met with a slight accident, and the corresponding secretary was asked to write her a letter to that effect.

The president announced a meeting to be held at Oak Bay United Church, Friday evening, November 30, at 8 o'clock, at which Dr. A. J. Brock, missionary from Chengtu, West China, will speak. He will also address a meeting at the Metropolitan Church, Tuesday evening, December 1, at the same hour.

There will not be a meeting of the executive during the month of December.

Catholics Will Stage Bazaar

The annual bazaar in aid of St. Andrew's Cathedral will be held next Friday and Saturday. Bishop MacDonald will open the affair on Friday at 10.30 a.m. Among the attractions will be a stall of woolen goods, convened by Mrs. Charles Fitzgerald; fancy work, convened by Mrs. Blair Reid; a country store, Mrs. Julia De Blaquiere; a home-cooking stall, Mrs. M. E. O'Neill; candy booth, Mrs. Theresa Doherty; novelty booth, Mrs. Junior C.W.L.; an apron stall, Mrs. A. D. Gillis; religious articles, in charge of Miss Helen Turk; ice cream and soft drinks, convened by the Young People's Club, and a Christmas tree arranged by Mrs. Ed. McQuade. Hot lunch and dinner will be served, as well as afternoon tea, under the able direction of Mrs. Hourigan. The Knights of Columbus will be in charge of Bingo and other games in the evening.

Chapter To Meet—The Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the municipal headquarters.

Victoria Man Bridegroom At Military Wedding



Mr. Duncan Douglas, Royal Canadian Army Service Corps, and his bride, formerly Miss Una Prower, and the attendants at their wedding, which took place at the Cathedral of the Holy Trinity, Quebec, November 12. Mrs. Douglas is a daughter of Brigadier and Mrs. J. M. Prower, of Quebec. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Douglas, of Edinburgh, Scotland, and Victoria, B.C. It was a military wedding. Included in the group with the bride couple are Miss Yvette Landry, maid of honor; Mrs. Paul Trudel and Miss Yvette Archambault of Montreal, Miss Barbara Russell, Army Service Corps of Ottawa, and Miss Lorna Prower, sister of the bride, who were the other bridal attendants; Mr. Bryce Gillis of the Royal Canadian Army Engineers; Mr. Egerton Robertson, Princess Patricia Light Infantry; Mr. Herbert Love, Royal Canadian Engineers; and Mr. Louis Gagnon, Royal Canadian Corps of Signals, all of Quebec, who were ushers. The little boy is Master Anthony Prower, the bride's brother, who was page.

History Made By Woman M.P.

Miss Horsburgh Sees Need To Arm To Ensure Peace

London.—The newspapers gave much space to Miss Florence Horsburgh, Conservative, senior M.P. for Dundee, the first woman in British history to make the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne.

Miss Horsburgh wore a sleeveless evening gown of dark chestnut-brown velvet with a slight cape effect draped over both shoulders and a small train. She wore cream-colored elbow-length gloves. At first, however, though clear, lacked some of its usual power, but as she went on all traces of nervousness disappeared and the speech could be heard plainly in every part of the House.

Speaking for eleven minutes she received an ovation at the close.

COMPLIMENT TO WOMEN

Miss Horsburgh said, in part: "The fact that the member selected for this honorable but onerous duty is a woman has, I believe, been appreciated as a compliment not only to the women of this House but to the women of the country (Cheers). I will not liken this occasion to the crumbling of some fortress wall that has defeated the citadel of male prerogative. Being a native of Edinburgh, I must beware of using a military metaphor lest that bring to the minds of honorable members an epithet, somewhat ungentle, that was used by a steep-Scottish reformer, John Knox, when describing organized womanhood in his day. (Laughter)."

"I prefer to think of this occasion as the opening of a gate into a new field of opportunity, and I believe the gate is being thrown open with true acquit myself but poorly when I set down I shall at least have two thoughts for my consolation. It has never been done better by a woman before. (Laughter). Whatever else may be said about me in the future, from henceforward I am historic."

SUPPORTS LEAGUE

"I remain a convinced supporter of the policy of adherence to the League of Nations, and I am glad that the government has made suggestions for the better working of such a body.

"The men and women of Great Britain are passionately anxious to maintain peace. They are thankful that the government has kept them out of entanglements that might lead to war. There is no diversity of opinion on the subject of peace between men and women, but in war-time there comes a distinct cleavage between them. The burden of suffering which they are called upon to bear."

"There are no scales whereby we can balance up the sum of human suffering. But I believe I speak for the women of Great Britain when I say that if that time comes again when women wait and men fight there is one form of suffering they demand that they shall not have to undergo—the suffering that comes from the knowledge that the fighting forces are not properly equipped and that human lives are being sacrificed because of preparation was neglected. A strong Britain, strong not only in her defence forces but in her strength founded on the well-being of the individual and the mutual responsibility of a world that is, I believe, bringing to a world that is restless and almost despairing a real measure of hope and thankfulness."

Society

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor was among the guests when the Canadian Scottish Regiment entertained at its annual game dinner at the Armoires on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Stella M. Loeve arrived from Vancouver on Tuesday and is visiting her father-in-law, Mr. W. E. Loeve, 1031 Richmond Avenue.

The engagement is announced of Edith Winifred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Deaville, to Philip Pritchard of Tallac Bay, the wedding to take place shortly.

Lady Barnard of "Clovelly," Esquimalt Road, accompanied by her niece, Miss Marcia Prior, went over to Vancouver this afternoon to spend a few days there.

A number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Finlay assembled at their new home on North Quadra Street on Saturday evening for a house-warming.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hale of Marysville, California, will arrive in Victoria this week from the south on a visit to Mrs. Hale's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Bechtel, Prospect Place, Oak Bay.

The marriage of Mr. Malcolm C. Chidlow of London, England, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. L. Calderwood, Client Street, Victoria, to Miss Diana de Courcy-Lyons, daughter of Col. and Mrs. J. A. de Courcy-Lyons of Swansea, Wales, will take place at Swansea on December 26.

Mrs. F. A. Lindsay was hostess at a dinner party at her home in the Highlands on Saturday evening, where the guests included the wives of the Canadian Scottish Regiment's annual game dinner at the Armoires. Covers were laid for thirty-six guests at the beautifully-appointed table.

Miss Jean Findlay entertained a number of friends at the tea hour on Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Chidlow, Esplanade Avenue. Miss Nan Eve and Mrs. A. West presided at the lace-covered tea table, which was centred with a rose bowl of bronze and yellow chrysanthemums, lighted by yellow tapers in water-lily holders and arranged in a mirror base.

This afternoon at her home on Newport Avenue, Oak Bay, Mrs. Allan Peabody was hostess at a largely attended tea party. At the tea hour she was assisted by Mrs. G. M. Weir, Mrs. S. J. Willis, Mrs. J. O. Cameron and Mrs. T. M. Cassidy, who presided at the daintily appointed tea table centred with bronze and yellow chrysanthemums. Assisting in serving were Mrs. W. E. J. Ekins, Mrs. L. Bullock, Webster, Dr. Olga Jardine and Mrs. E. D. MacRae.

Miss Diana Cobbett was hostess at the tea hour yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, Volstead Street, in farewell to Miss Joan Cudmore, who will leave shortly for England. Miss Priscilla Wright and Miss Helen Baird presided at the tea-table, which was decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and matching tapers. Other guests included: Misses Ruth Horton, Helen Woodcroft, Betty McMurray, Mary Worsley, Mrs. and Constance Stephens, Betty Burns, Ann Ridewood, Peggy Angus, Joan Mayhew, Esme Ketchen, Audrey Eberts, Sylvia Piddington, Roseanna Gillespie, Doreen Pritchard, Margaret and Kathleen Greer, Phyllis Parkes, Lilian and Virginia Ryan, Elizabeth Martin, "Pat" Fitzpatrick, Rosemary Williams, Joy Bullen, Gladwyn Besley, Eileen Carlier, Claudia Jean, Perita Bertha, Joyce Thomas, Ursula and Helen Forbes.

Popular Dances Were Featured

"There's Something in the Air" and "Where the Lazy River Goes By," from the moving picture "Banjo on My Knee," were the most popular numbers played by Billy Tickle's ten-piece orchestra at the Empress Hotel weekly dance on Saturday night.

Those noticed among the dancers were: Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Birley, Mr. and Mrs. Robin Piers, Mr. and Mrs. Goldwyn Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Tallamy, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. W. Munro, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sands, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. M. Doane, Mr. and Mrs. H. Calvert, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Drury, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Munro, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walcott, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Leach, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rider, Mr. and Mrs. H. Colman, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hicks.

Miss Helen Schwengers, Mr. John Waugh, Mrs. C. Lauder, Miss Lolita Teyes, Mr. James Adamson, Miss Geraldine Kent, Mr. C. McRae, Mr. J. Allison, Miss Elizabeth McIntosh, Mr. H. Groos, Miss Helen Nicholson, Mr. W. Dunbar, Mr. Gavin Hume, Mr. Barry Winton, Miss Betty Batty, Miss Tita Hall, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Carmichael, Mr. A. J. Gray, Mrs. J. S. Woods, Mr. G. McDonald, Mr. R. Turner, Mr. R. M. Williams, Mr. B. Ward, Mr. L. E. Dunn, Mr. V. Castri.

Miss Truesdale, Mr. A. W. Whittingham, Mr. H. Cox, Mr. G. B. Hope, Mr. P. Giles, Mr. R. K. Baker, Miss G. Bayley, Miss M. Webster, Miss M. Whyte, Miss Irene Palmer, Mr. A. K. Love, Mr. A. Craig, Miss I. Williams, Mr. D. McClure, Mr. Paul Rowe, Miss Gwendolyn Spencer, Mr. Ben Hethley, Miss Ruth Moore, Mr. E. B. Williams, Miss M. Cox, Mrs. P. Abbott, Miss V. Beak, Mr. Frank Edgell, Miss V. Beak.

Miss Mary Campbell, Miss Muriel Daniels, Miss Patricia Porter, Miss Peggy Joseph, Mr. Frank Hall, Mr. S. Meldrum, Miss M. Benson, Miss P. Bullen, Mr. R. Wattie, Mr. G. Paulin, Mr. A. Pittie, Mr. K. Sangster, Miss R. Pease, Mr. C. Campbell, Miss Doreen Ashburnham, Mr. S. Punnett, Mr. B. Hayes, Mr. D. Campbell and Mr. J. Montell.

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Chapter to Meet—The Major John Hebdon Gillespie Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Carl Gonnason. All members are asked to attend.

Hill: Mr. J. Stranding, Raymond, Minn.; Miss K. Gilles, Sooke; Mr. D. A. McNaughton, James Island; Mr. C. Banks, Cumberland; Misses P. and G. Halerick, Portland; Mr. S. Workman, Goldstream; Mr. N. R. Morley, Youbou; Mr. and Mrs. T. Wells; Mr. R. Brodie, Vancouver; Mrs. Patterson Sprigg, San Diego; Mr. and Mrs. J. Neibel, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. W. Borden, Los Angeles; Mr. K. Grant, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilson, Vancouver; Mrs. W. Hartley, City; Mr. J. Todd, Seattle; Mr. J. R. Conway, Campbell River; Mr. T. Manson, Vancouver; Mrs. A. M. Keillor, Vancouver; Mr. W. H. Slater, Vancouver.

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Varsity Women Plan Lectures

The University Women's Club has planned a series of interesting talks on a variety of topics for the remainder of its season. On Friday evening, December 11, at the Y.W.C.A., the topic, convened by Miss Mary Hamilton, will be "An Evening With the Christmas Carol."

On Tuesday evening, January 12, the programme will include a talk on Sweden by Miss I. A. Thomas; a talk by Miss Rena Grant on "Poetry," and by Madame Sanderson-Mongin on "The Gobelins Tapestries"; Wednesday, February 17, talk by Miss Hazel Sargent on "The Rise of Fascism," by Mrs. M. E. Godson on "Auden, Spender and Lewis," and by Miss Adele Macleod on "The Lure of the Box"; Thursday, March 18, Miss Patricia Hamilton-Smith will speak on "Canada and International Commerce," Dr. Henrietta Anderson on "The Browning Cult," and Mrs. C. S. Beals on "Origin of Secular Music in Europe."

With the exception of the last meeting, which will be at the home of Mrs. H. L. Smith, 1810 Hollywood Crescent, all meetings will take place at the Y.W.C.A. at 8 p.m.

GORGE-ERSKINE Y.P.

The regular meeting of the Gorge-Erskine young people was held on Friday. The meeting opened with the singing of the theme chorus "There Is Joy in Serving Jesus." Miss Pat Phillips recited "All for Jesus."

The guest speaker for the evening was Mr. Roland Savage and "The Joy of Living a Christian Life" was the theme of his message. During the meeting a sing-song of gospel choruses was enjoyed.

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Predict Women's Rise As the Dominant Sex

By LAURA BROOKMAN

The men folk had better step spryly to regain ground lost to women, says Dr. Joseph Tenenbaum. That is, if they want to keep any rights at all for themselves—a latch key, a little loose change in their pockets, some "say" in the matter of where son is going to school and whom daughter shall marry, use of the family car now and then, and maybe an occasional night out with "the boys."

Otherwise, thinks Dr. Tenenbaum, the country is likely to see a return to the Age of Amazons. Distinguished in medical, educational and literary circles, Dr. Tenenbaum has given years of research to the subject of women's social and economic position through the ages. He undertook this study in preparation for his book, "The Riddle of Woman." The doctor is quick to explain that, though woman is a riddle and probably will remain one, he does not pretend to have found the answer.

MARRIAGE MANIFESTATIONS
"At the rate things are going today," he says, "it seems inevitable that men will soon do little more than take orders. It happened 3,000 years ago in Egypt. Why shouldn't it happen again? Women had all the rights then. They made the laws, carried on the business, wore plain clothes and cut their hair short. The men stayed at home and got themselves up in fine costumes."

Right now, in 1936, says Dr. Tenenbaum, if you were to visit the right parts of the world, you could find in practice today practically every type of marriage and family life that history has known.

For instance: In Sumatra when a man buys a wife, she and her children become his property, subject to inheritance by his heirs.

In Samoa the husband is an absolute bond slave of his mother-in-law. Among the Tuaregs a man's property and titles are handed down, not to his children, but to his sister's children.

In Ceylon it is customary for one wife to have from four to six husbands—often brothers.

ONE SEX ENSLAVES OTHER
Dr. Tenenbaum points out that one sex can never dominate unless the other automatically becomes enslaved. That is why he thinks the situation is serious for the United States today.

"Our grandmothers," he says, "were not so free as women are today, but what they had was assurance. They could inspire their husbands, give them courage. Nowadays women do not have that assurance, and they can't give it to men."

The woman who lives in luxury, with nothing to do all day, and the woman who drives herself, trying to earn a living and at the same time keep a home, are equal problems to society, according to the doctor.

AMAZON OR NAGGER

"One becomes an Amazon," he says, "and the other a nagger."

Between these extremes there must be, Dr. Tenenbaum thinks, a happy medium—"something between a career and a distress."

Dr. Tenenbaum would like to see the courses in every public school to train young people for marriage.

"The schools," he says, "teach girls how to make a living, but never how to make a home. They are adding



DR. JOSEPH TENENBAUM

yearly to the increasing number of spinsters. Marriage is the biggest, most difficult job in the world, yet girls are given no preparation at all for it."

MEN NEED HOME LIFE

When Dr. Tenenbaum speaks of the home he becomes particularly earnest. "Home life," he says, "has suffered and is suffering—everywhere. Men, with all their substitutes that get elsewhere, need a home, a place to relax, where there is someone to understand and encourage them."

"Broken homes provide, not only children for penal institutions, but men and women to fill institutions for the insane. The increase in insanity today is astounding. Women lack adjustment to their surroundings, lack a feeling of security. Men lack security, too, because they can't come home and relax."

"We must find a way to benefit from the advantages and freedom we have today, and, at the same time, preserve the best of the old institutions. I do not mean that women should go back to baking bread and doing their own washing. What is important is that a means shall be found to preserve the spirit of the past."

Blacksmith's Daughter Star

Associated Press
Hollywood, Calif., Nov. 30.—Twenty years and more ago, a sturdy English blacksmith, Jim Durbin by name, dreamed of a career as a singer. It never was realized, largely because he could not afford to leave his smiddy and go to London for training.

"But it is coming true, in a way now," Durbin says, "and I'm happier for it."

Durbin is the father of Deanna Durbin, thirteen-year-old singer, who came to the movies recently after a surprising career in concert and on the stage.

"I gave Deanna her first lessons," Durbin said. "Of course she's had a lot more and better ones since, but I like to think I helped her get started."

When Deanna was born in England, her mother and I got down and prayed that she'd have a voice."

Later, they moved to Winnipeg and it was there he began teaching her.

Your Baby And Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

WARM-BREAKFAST-ON-COLD-MORNINGS

Crispy mornings that turn small noses red, hands blue and inspire the child to a prodigious running in order to stir his blood to warmth, demand as a foundation for this energy a hot, nourishing breakfast.

I know, even as I write this, how the conscientious mother is shouting at me: "But I give him a good breakfast. He won't eat. What shall I do about that?"

What, indeed? It's a puzzle so know just why children will sniff at the food which their yearning bodies need. But we have to remember that going to school is a harrowing busi-

ness to some children; quite enough so to rob them of appetite.

The child who always has her lesson, who loves her teacher and her playmates, can sit down in placid calm and satisfy her robust appetite. But the child who waits until morning to do the arithmetic which should have been done the night before; the child who dawdles over dressing until the clock points a warning finger at the hour; the child who dislikes the teacher (yes, some children do) or finds school a less pleasurable world than home, cannot woo a nervous appetite to the point where food looks desirable.

Sometimes the mother has to dig down deeply to find the causes of the child's "sickish" feeling at breakfast time. It may mean that she must critically examine the child's school life, must get her up earlier, must forestall nervousness by a forced attention to lessons when the child is not tired and hurried.

There is no one answer to why children cannot eat in the morning, but there is always some answer, since it is obvious that, after hours without

food, the child must be bolstered up with good, warm food in order to carry through the arduous school morning. If an appetizing breakfast is what is needed perhaps some of the suggestions in our leaflet called "School Breakfasts" will do the trick.

Send a self-addressed envelope with your request for the leaflet by name to Myrtle Meyer Eldred of the Your Baby and Mine Department of this newspaper.

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Mistress Peggy and I get ourselves ready and away to town with early shoppers. We have much to do. First thing I do off to Posh Shoppe on Fort Street, for it doth linger within my mind that Tony Lovelace doth always send nice Peg fine corsage bouquet for such occasion as this.

"The little service that women do ever love. Posh Shoppe do fashion perfect buds to grace the shoulder or perhaps to match gay ribbon at the waist. A few pennies do bring such pleasure. Methinks Samuel be so engrossed with other things he do forget . . . so myself choose corsage of perfect gardenias. They do breathe romance."

Muse on the strange ways of men as I do hurry on. 'Tis ever the small things remembered that do tinkle romance long buried under humdrum daily tasks.

Plan surprise for all this Christmas season. Have thought, while lifting my new taffeta from its nest of tissue that Mister Gibson doth take such perfect likeness . . . also he doth this season make appointments in evening for those who be busy during the day. When I be all perfumed and powdered for the ball and with my new gown on . . . think to slip away to Wilfrid Gibson's Studio on Fort Street and have a good likeness taken. A few short minutes be all . . . everything doth conspire at such time for perfect results. Excitement doth bring sparkle to all eyes . . . and with new dress, too. 'Tis thought for all . . . 'tis well to make appointment at once . . . as I do this morn.

My nose doth wrinkle with pleasure as I do pass the Eng-

lish Bakery on Fort Street. There be aroma circling about of fine spices and goodie fruits . . . of nuts and luscious ingredients that ever go in the making of delicious fruit cake and goodie mince meat. Such aroma doth make Christmas seem very near. English Bakery do make the finest fruit cake . . . everything that doth go in the making of the best. 'Tis possible to take home cake without icing or to have one lead in finest style. Mince Meat be so rich within this shoppe . . . yet withal so reasonable . . . but 25 cents a pound, and one doth bring container for it.

English Bakery have delicious Almond Paste, too, the doth melt within the mouth it be so goodie.

Quickly on to Barber and Holdcroft's at 1623 Douglas Street. This shoppe be filled with finest toys that do please all ages of boy or girl. Great shelves there be . . . that one may look along and find most anything. See goodie display of wooden toys this day that be perfect for very young children. Ducks and dogs and many other things. Here be Teddy Bears, too . . . both great and small. 'Tis gift for young children they do love and cherish down the years. Books . . . there be many boys and girls who delight in goodie book. Barber & Holdcroft's do merit many visits this Christmas season.

Meet Mistress Peggy upon the street . . . she be all curled and ready for the ball. This brings thought that I, too, must give some time to my countenance had I me-thinks to my hair.

We do hurry on to Diggon-Hibben's Limited, at Government Street, for there be serious thought that we do have long list of Christmas cards ready for the post very soon. Diggon's have fine boxed assortments that do make selection very easy. One box

doth have cards that sport gay English garden scenes . . . it do bring me back to my childhood. This be perfect buy. There be Canadian scenes in boxed assortments, too. Do find box that reproduce old Masters upon the cards. 'Tis easy for all purses to choose goodie Christmas cards within this shop. Some be priced as reasonable as twelve goodie cards for 60 cents.

Time doth fly, but Mistress Peg do drag me on to Period Arts Shoppe within Belmont House on Government Street. Mister Reynolds doth just have through from England a new display of fine Dresden figures and figurines. So dainty in design these be . . . so perfect, even to the colorful bits of flowers that do adorn some . . . they do seem almost real. Dresden coloring be enchanting . . . such figures do take me back to the days of Samuel's ancestors. Almost they do seem to bow and whirl to the stately tune of a minuet or the sprightly tune of gay gavotte. For gift that be different . . . that be of quality . . . these Dresden figures and figurines do offer goodie suggestion.

Home—to spend the hours in bustle and stir. Little time to think of my own looks this night, for Sam's new be very unruly. Write these few lines as I do wait the minute I must slip away to Mister Gibson to have, my likeness. Methinks I do perhaps look few years less than my years. A new gowne doth ever help. And Samuel did present me this night with gay corsage of sweet rosebuds. 'Twould seem he do not forget small things. The gardenias I did bring do stay within their box . . . 'tis happier moment to wear a corsage sent by someone who doth remember. Look forward with much excitement to this night.

AROUND THE TOWN
With Mistress Pepys

Saturday, November 28.

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CATHEDRAL A.Y.P.A.

After a short business meeting recently in the Memorial Hall, the members of Christ Church Cathedral A.Y.P.A. heard the Rev. A. M. Acheson-Lyle, a former chaplain of the branch, who chose as his subject "The Viny Pilgrimage."

A social, at which refreshments were served, followed the address. The heads of the various church organizations in the cathedral have been invited to attend the A.Y.P.A. next Wednesday evening to discuss with the members ways and means by which the branch may be of assistance in the work of the church.

Subdivision Meeting—The monthly meeting of the Equimait Subdivision, Catholic Women's League will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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News of Clubwomen

Sewing Circle—The sewing circle of Court Maple Leaf A.O.F. will meet at the home of Mrs. H. F. Jarvis, 1239 Seaview Avenue, on Tuesday evening, December 1. All Foresters and friends welcome.

Purple Star—Victoria Purple Star Lodge No. 104 L.O.B.A. will hold a short meeting on Wednesday, commencing at 7:30 o'clock, to be followed by a court whist game at 8:30 o'clock. All friends will be welcomed and refreshments will be served.

Catholic League—The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League will be held in the Bishop's Palace on Wednesday evening, December 2, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

Baptist Union—A sale of work will be held by the Women's Union, First Baptist Church, on Saturday next at 3 o'clock in the lower auditorium of the church. Afternoon tea will be served, and an attractive programme has been arranged. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

Daughters of St. George—The regular business meeting of Victoria Lodge No. 83, Daughters of St. George, will be held in the S.O.E. Hall, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The business of the evening will be installation of officers. All officers and guard teams are requested to be at the hall at 7 o'clock for drill practice.

Church Bazaar—St. Mark's W.A. will hold its Christmas bazaar on Wednesday afternoon at the church hall, Mrs. Wm. Heatherbell performing the opening ceremony at 2:30 o'clock. There will be stalls of plain and fancy work, aprons, home cooking and miscellaneous articles, and several contests, also afternoon tea will be served.

Camosun Chapter I.O.D.E.—The regular meeting of Camosun Chapter I.O.D.E. will be held in the headquarters, Union Building, View Street, on Friday afternoon, December 4, at 2 o'clock. At 3 o'clock Mrs. J. Lewis will give a talk on the Viny Pilgrimage. Members of other chapters are cordially invited to hear this interesting address.

Lodge Primrose—Daughters of England Lodge Primrose No. 32 held its social meeting on Friday in the Sons of England Hall the Worthy President, Mrs. F. Chappell, presiding. After the meeting a social evening was held, the programme being presented by the choir. Drill practice will be held on December 8 at 2 o'clock.

Lodge Dance—On Thursday next,

after the regular meeting, Carne Rebekah Lodge No. 45 I.O.O.F. will hold a dance and card party in the Odd Fellows Hall, Douglas Street. Evelyn Holt's orchestra will supply the music for the dancing and the cards will be military five hundred. Good prizes and refreshments will be provided. Social will commence at 9 o'clock and the meeting at 8 o'clock.

Lake Hill Bazaar—The Lake Hill Women's Institute will hold a bazaar and bridge tea on Thursday afternoon, December 3, in the Community Hall at 3 o'clock, and proceeds are for Christmas cheer for the needy. The conveners are: Cards, Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Myles; refreshments, Mrs. Findlay; home-cooking stall, Mrs. T. Currie; miscellaneous stall, Mrs. C. H. Porter and Mrs. Carpenter.

St. Barnabas Bazaar—The W.A. and Ladies' Guild of St. Barnabas Church will hold a bazaar on Wednesday, December 2. There will be many attractive stalls carrying inexpensive Christmas gifts, also home cooking and candy. Numerous competitions have been arranged. In the evening there will be a penny fair, where nothing will cost more than one cent, but where there will be plenty of fun and entertainment for everyone.

James Bay Shower—The Ladies' Aid of James Bay United Church held a successful miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. H. S. Bentham, 57 South Turner Street, in aid of the forthcoming bazaar to be held Wednesday, December 2. The hostess was assisted in receiving the many guests by Mrs. F. Schroeder. The reception rooms were tastefully decorated for the occasion and during the course of the afternoon several delightful vocal numbers were rendered by Mrs. E. Ridgway and Mrs. Williams. Tea was served in the dining-room, Mrs. Geo. Kirkendale and Mrs. W. R. Brown presiding at the urns.

Salvation Army Shower—The sisters of the Equimait Salvation Army Home League will hold a shower tomorrow (Tuesday) afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock, in the Army Hall, upstairs, corner of Constance Avenue and Esquimalt Road, in preparation for their Christmas sale of work and home cooking. Ladies of the district are cordially invited to attend. A musical programme will be given during the afternoon and refreshments served. No charge will be made for admission.

King's Daughters Yuletide Sale

The King's Daughters will hold their Christmas bazaar on Tuesday, December 1, at the Y.W.C.A. Mrs. William Russell, the district president, is the general convenor. The stalls follow: Ministering Circle, fancy work and useful articles; Hawthorne Circle, handkerchiefs; Speedwell Circle, miscellaneous; L. H. Harall Circle, bridge novelties; Fellowship Circle, home cooking; Jubilee (Juniors), dressed dolls. Ready to Help Circle will serve tea. It is hoped for a good attendance of friends, as the funds are for the order's relief and Christmas work.

Although lightning seldom strikes balloons, three entries in the 1933 Gordon Bennett balloon race were struck, and fell to earth in flames.

HALF-ACRE in EDEN

By Robert Edward Dickson

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

MARCIA CANFIELD, daughter of wealthy PHILIP CANFIELD, known in the neighborhood as "the girl who disappeared," whose engagement to FRANK KENDRICK, a young man of fortune, had been announced, since his disappearance, a shortage in Kendrick's funds has been discovered.

With her friend, HELEN WADDELL, and others, Marcia is in a restaurant when there is a holdup. Marcia loses a ring that was her mother's.

Learning Frank is in Chicago, Marcia goes there to try to persuade him to return and face his financial obligations. Before she reaches him, Frank disappears again.

In Chicago she encounters BRUCE McDUGALL, a stranger, who volunteers a slight service. Bruce is also a passenger on the plane Marcia takes to return home. A few weeks later she sees him again. Bruce, an artist, has decided to make his home in the suburb.

Meanwhile TONY STELLACCI, restaurant chef, suspects his brother, CARLO, of being involved in the holdup and finds some of the loot in Carlo's home. He returns Marcia's ring.

Marcia stops at the Stielles home where public welfare nurse and interrupts a conversation between Carlo and Tony. Tony threatens to tell the police, but Carlo agrees. Tony reports all he knows about the holdup.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XVII

On a Saturday early in January two persons in Bobbs Neck were devoting considerable thought to the subject of their material environment and to Marcia Canfield. Such is coincidence.

Dorothy Osborn, whose dissatisfaction with her lot in life had the redeeming feature of sporadic efforts on her part to effect an improvement, surveyed the living-room and dining-room of the Osborn family. They were not exceptional rooms, for it was not an exceptional house. The Osborns' income put narrow limits upon the accommodations and facilities which the family could enjoy, and Dorothy, to whom their lack of money had long been a thorn of embarrassment, was often hard pressed to give her home the appearance she desired.

But the two rooms were now a reward for long and painstaking work. Work with remnants of material. Although nothing could be done with the rug, Dorothy had managed to get a new one.

Three years of suffering and then at last—glorious relief! This woman feels it her duty to tell other sufferers how she got back her health. Here in her letter she tells her story:

"I feel it my duty to tell you now, after nearly three years of suffering with neuritis and backache, I have obtained relief after taking two bottles of Kruschen salts. I have been in hospital, had radiant heat, etc., but nothing touched it until I read about Kruschen salts, and the benefits derived from them. I can walk at least three miles a day now, and before I could merely crawl about the house." (Mrs. A.N.)

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THE Merrivales are getting a lot of fun out of life these days. Invitations to parties and dances come thick and fast—thanks to their telephone.

"When we were without a telephone," Mrs. Merrivale explains, "we felt that we had been put 'on the shelf'. Again and again we missed social affairs because our friends found it so hard to get in touch with us.

"But now, thank goodness, we have a telephone again, and we're really enjoying life."

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across on his walk this afternoon. A piece of land at the crest of a hill; the real estate agent's sign said half an acre.

He thought, too, of another sign he had seen, in a furniture store window: "You furnish the girl, we furnish the home."

All right. Make out a contract, mister. I've picked out a lot; I have my eye on the girl. Miss Canfield, will you—? Marcia, Marcia—ah, Marcia!

Well, the beauty of living alone was that you could think what you pleased and there was no one else around to guess it from your expression. No sneering, prying roommate to say, "Nuts over the gal, eh? McDougall's love sick! McDougall going to think about her until he can't get to sleep! Old sap McDougall!"

Well, wash off the shaving cream, McDougall, and rinse away the dream! You've known her just long enough to do a thorough job of falling in love, and long enough to find out there's another guy ahead of you.

He could not forget the whispered conversation in the village auditorium. "How silly of Marcia to fly after him!" "Well, it's her engagement. If she was determined—"

What was the matter with the guy that Marcia had flown after him? What was the reason for her low spirits which he had observed in the Chicago coffee shop, before he had known who she was or whence she came—before he'd known that fate would tantalize him?

Well, whatever it was, what difference did it make? Marcia was engaged to the unknown; Marcia was, the evidence said, hopelessly in love. So, McDougall, wash it all away and forget it! Or pretend to. And now what? Ah, yes—his dinner engagement.

The artist dressed. He was about to turn out the lights and depart when the telephone rang. There was an extension of the downstairs instrument in his rooms, and he heard the negro maid call up the stairs: "It's for you, Mr. McDougall."

"Hello," said Dorothy Osborn. "Are you all settled in your new home, and have you remembered you're coming over for dinner tonight?"

"Of course I've remembered. I was just leaving. Or will that make me too early?"

"Not at all. But you mustn't walk in this weather. I called to say I'm taking Mother down to the village on an errand, and will stop by for you." (To Be Continued)

ROYAL OAK

St. Michael's A.P.A. met at "Norfolk Lodge," the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Oldfield, Old West Road, last Thursday evening. Miss Dora Young presiding. A committee, with the president as convener, was elected to prepare a programme for a concert to be held early in January.

Herbert Oldfield was elected convener of the Columbia Coast Mission campaign. An address on "Missionaries at Home" was given by Herbert Oldfield. Canon S. J. Wickens told of his missionary experiences in Manitoba. The next meeting, convened by Miss Helen Arnott and Miss Phyllis Towler, will take the form of a social in the parish hall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. P. Stielck Pauphin, Manitoba, returned to their home on the Old West Road on Thursday. Their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Rush, of Vancouver, accompanied them home.

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It was the purely temporary feeling of living alone in a strange community that had struck him, of course. Living alone was what finally drove a lot of people to get married, he supposed. They wanted someone around to talk to.

On the subject of getting married, what a site for a home he had run

ON THE AIR

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HOOPER TAKES WRIGLEY SWIM

Vancouver Star Captures Western Canada Mile; Victorians Fare Badly

Canadian Press
Vancouver, Nov. 30.—Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club stars today held five of ten inter-city swimming gala trophies won here Saturday night.

Added to these were the Wrigley Trophy, won by Bobby Hooper in the western Canada mile event, the diving championship captured by Lynda Adams, sixteen-year-old Canadian 1936 Olympic aquatic team member, and shares in two relay events, Victoria's aggregation, coached by

Frank Hyslop, president of the Vancouver Island Swimming League, found competition a little too keen, but took home two second and six third places.

Hooper, Mary Baggaley and Eddie Cline of the V.A.S.C., collected most of the prizes and finished at or near the front in practically every event in which they were entered.

Noel Oxenbury, New Westminster, freestyle and backstroke star of the Crystal Amateur Swimming Club, Vancouver, captured both the 100-yard women's backstroke open and the 50-yard freestyle open.

Joan Langdon of V.A.S.C. finished second in the backstroke with Miss R. Saunders of Victoria Amateur Swimming Club third. Second place in the freestyle was taken by Mary Baggaley, V.A.S.C., and third by Eleanor Peden of the Pacific A.S.C., Victoria.

DON DAVIDSON THIRD

Don Davidson, Victoria A.S.C., was third in the men's open 100-yard backstroke, behind Cline and Hooper, who finished in that order.

Davidson, Harry Anderson, Will Somerville and Wes Clark were third in the men's 200-yard freestyle relay for the Mrs. T. H. Kirk Challenge Trophy. Vancouver No. 1 team was first and No. 2 team second.

Hazel Smith, Molly White, Anne Peden and Helen Manning took third place in the girls' high school relay behind Duke of Connaught and Magee, Vancouver teams.

Results follow:

Wrigley mile event—1. Bobby Hooper, Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club; 2. N. Allish, South Edmonton Swimming Club; 3. J. Tyld-

Right Through the Front Door



Knock, knock! . . . Who's there? . . . Auto. . . Auto who? . . . Auto, come in auto the auto. The only suggestion for improving this version of the word game might be made by J. A. Pith, who whose Los Angeles home the auto crashed after jumping the curb. Pith was wishing the auto had chosen some other place to play the game. The car came to a halt after knocking down the front door.

Jey V.A.S.C. (did not finish). Time, 22.41.

200 yards freestyle, ladies' open—1. M. Baggaley, V.A.S.C.; 2. Pat O'Hara, Crystal A.S.C., Vancouver; 3. M. Doidge, P.S.C., Victoria. Time, 2.31.

100 yards backstroke, ladies' open—1. Noel Oxenbury, C.A.S.C.; 2. Joan Langdon, V.A.S.C.; 3. R. Saunders, Victoria A.S.C. Time, 1.12-5.

100 yards backstroke, men's open—1. Edward Cline, V.A.S.C.; 2. Bobby Hooper, V.A.S.C.; 3. D. Davidson, Victoria "Y." Time, 1.05-5.

50 yards freestyle, ladies' open—1. Noel Oxenbury, Crystal A.S.C., Vancouver; 2. Mary Baggaley, V.A.S.C.; 3. Eleanor Peden, P.A.S.C. Time, 20-5.

50 yards freestyle, men's open—1. Edward Cline, V.A.S.C.; 2. B. Miller, U.B.C., and Archie Byers, U.B.C. (dead heat); 3. Vic Curran, V.A.S.C. Time, 26.

Diving, ladies' open—Won by Lynda Adams of V.A.S.C. Bunny Harrington was the only other entrant.

100 yards breaststroke, ladies' open—1. Pauline Bamford, U.B.C.; 2. Y. Squires, Victoria A.S.C. (Only two entries). Time, 1.50-5.

100 yards breaststroke, men's final—1. Tom Cox, Crystal A.S.C., Vancouver; 2. R. Wyndham, V.A.S.C.; 3. Archie Byers, U.B.C. Time, 1.15-5.

Special 200-yard relay for the Jantzen Challenge Trophy—1. Duke of Connaught High School, Vancouver; 2. Lord Byng High School, Vancouver; 3. Victoria High School. Time, 2.05-5.

Special 200-yard freestyle relay for the Mrs. T. H. Kirk Challenge Cup—1. Vancouver team No. 1; 2. Vancouver team No. 2; 3. Victoria relay team. Time, 1.43-5.

200-yard ladies' relay for the Mrs. T. H. Kirk Challenge Trophy—1. Vancouver team No. 1; 2. Victoria relay team; 3. Vancouver team No. 2 (disqualified). Time, 2.01-5.

Party Bags Over Hundred Ducks

A mixed bag of over 100 blue-bills, butterballs and golden eye, as well as seven Canada geese, was the total bag of a hunting expedition of fifteen local duck hunters yesterday on Discovery and Chatham Islands, arranged by Ellsbeck Wilson and Stan Williams. A good portion of the birds were given to the Indians on those islands. The party included besides Mr. Williams and Mr. Wilson, Dr. S. A. K. White, Frank Cross, Ian McConnan, Johnny Mousker, Bill Leith, Walter Laver, Harold Gardiner, Roy Heston, Pete Bradford, Fred Harman, Harry Buckie, Jack Child and Dick Fisher.

Chinese Students Win Cage Match

Coming from behind in the last half, Chinese Students managed to check in with a 35 to 34 win over the Maroons, Saturday evening in the main tussle on the Sunday School Basketball League card staged at the Y Gym. The Students were at the tail-end of a 21 to 18 score at the interval.

St. Louis College was victor over Crescents 23 to 17, while St. Alban's Oaks defeated Christ Church, 20 to 11.

Royals Will Make California Tour

Vancouver, Nov. 30.—The offer of New Westminster Royals, Dominion soccer champions, to play a series of games in California over the Christmas and New Year season has been accepted, according to word received here Saturday from Maurice Hudson, secretary of the California Football Association.

Royals will play in San Francisco on Christmas Day and in Los Angeles the following Sunday and on New Year's Day, returning to San Francisco for the fourth game on January 3.

The team plans to leave here December 23 by automobile, arriving in San Francisco Christmas Eve.

COOPERAGE WINNER

In the second division of the Victoria and District Football League on Saturday afternoon the Cooperage defeated Esquimalt 3 to 2 at Bullen Park.

The hornbill, a bird of Malaya, sheds not only all its feathers once a year but also the lining of its crop.

Pumpkin pies originated in England. They were made by baking a pumpkin which had been filled with apples.

Psychic Surprises Bidder

Player Opens Contracting on Weak Hand, Making Five-Odd, Doubled—With Aid of Dummy!

By WM. E. MCKENNEY

Walter Malowan of New York, one of the outstanding figures in tournament bridge, is expected to be among the stars at the national championship tournament of the American Bridge League in Chicago the week of November 30.

Usually his bidding is sound, but sometimes when he plays bridge at New York's newest and most exclusive bridge club, the Regency Club, he cannot resist the temptation to put in a psychic. At the opening night of the club recently, he made

Today's Contract Problem

South is playing the contract at six no trump. With the opening spade lead, he can count 11 tricks. Where is he to find the additional trick needed to make his contract?

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South West North East
Pass Pass 1 ♣ Pass
Red'ble 2 ♣ Pass 4 ♣
5 ♣ Pass Pass Double
Pass Pass Pass Double
Opening lead—♥ K. 12

one with very satisfactory results for himself and his partner.

SOLUTION TO PREVIOUS CONTRACT PROBLEM

In the play, Malowan, who had opened in the North with a complete psychic, had the pleasant surprise of making his doubled contract, losing only one diamond and one heart. East and West, could have made four hearts without

Man Can Now Talk With God, Says Noted Psychologist

MOSCOW, IDAHO.—"A new and revolutionary religious teaching based entirely on the misunderstood sayings of the Galilean Carpenter, and designed to show how we may find, understand and use the same identical power which Jesus used in performing His so-called Miracles," is attracting world wide attention to its founder, Dr. Frank B. Robinson, noted psychologist, author and lecturer.

"Psychiana," this new psychological religion, believes and teaches that it is today possible for every normal human being, understanding spiritual law as Christ understood it, "to duplicate every work that the Carpenter of Galilee ever did"—it believes and teaches that when He said, "the things that I do shall ye also do." He meant what He said and meant it literally to all mankind, through all the ages.

Dr. Robinson has prepared a 6,000 word treatise on "Psychiana," in

which he tells about his long search for the Truth, how he finally came to the full realization of an Unseen Power or force "so dynamic in itself that all other powers and forces fade into insignificance beside it"—how he learned to commune directly with the Living God, using this mighty, never-failing power to demonstrate health, happiness and financial success, and how any normal being may find and use it as Jesus did. He is now offering this treatise free to every reader of this paper who writes him.

If you want to read this "highly interesting, revolutionary and fascinating story of the discovery of a great Truth," just send your name and address to Dr. Frank B. Robinson, 19-11th Avenue, Moscow, Idaho. It will be sent free and postpaid without cost or obligation. Write the Doctor today.—Copyright 1935, Dr. Frank B. Robinson.—Advertisement.

trouble, and with careful play even five is possible.

The bidding recalls the early days of contract, when psychic bids were popular. Many players were fooled by the bidding of opponents on cards they did not hold, and once, during the Culbertson-Lenz match, a cartoonist pictured a runner in frozen north, arriving with the news that "Omele Jacoby, the partner of Sidney Lenz, had made another psychic and gone down 2,000."

Such bids rarely work nowadays.

Players have become much too good in valuing their own cards. But when these bids do work, they leave a pleasant glow in the minds of the successful partnership, which, perhaps, is needed to offset the frequent disasters.

However, Malowan risked little here, and his strategy paid rich dividends.

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The tarsier, an animal of the East Indies, has suction cups on its toes.



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G. WELLBURN TAKES HONORS

Captures Brentwood Cup in Reliability Test of Motorcycle Club

Competing against a field of fifteen riders, George Wellburn, crack local motorcycle ace, with a total of 940 points, annexed the Brentwood Cup, symbolic of the annual fall reliability trial staged by the Victoria Motorcycle Club yesterday afternoon.

Second place went to W. Leahy, with 930 points, while Cecil Frampton took third with 929.

With a loss of two points, Frank Baylis won the riding ability award for the best showing in the observed section of mud and sharp turns in trails. Frampton was second with a loss of three points. The average loss per rider was eight points.

A field of twenty-three starters was cut down to fifteen owing to illness, but the number of riders finishing displayed their ability to stay with going. Thirteen finished. E. Seedhouse and J. Buckham were the only pair that did not place. The former had clutch trouble, and the latter got lost in the highlands.

The event is a speed-judging competition in which riders, without the aid of watches or speedometers, endeavour to arrive at the various checking stations on time. There were seven checking stations along the allotted route, six of which were secret checks, where riders were judged on their ability to ride muddy and rough sections.

TOUGH COURSE

It was a tough route. The riders had to traverse four miles of the old C.N.R. track at Cordova Bay, which was bad, as rotting ties are still in the old bed. Most of the turns took place in the section where the trestle has been removed, which produces a sudden sharp decline and ascent. "Agony Boulevard," off the West Road to Tomlinson Road was difficult with its deeply rutted clay surface, which was as slippery as ice. Most riders needed assistance there.

Following a spectacular spill there by V. Stevens, his machine caught fire. Checkers came to his assistance and smothered the flames with coats.

All but the first three prize winners lost a number of points traveling from check three to four, due to time lost in "Agony Bend." This spot was slippery owing to frost.

Check four and five—a distance of eighteen miles—that had to be ridden at twenty miles per hour from Stelly's crossroad through the Highland District via Durrance and Munro's Road, gave the riders a chance to show their abilities to judge speed when there were no tough sections to hold them up. Cards turned in showed very little difference in set time and times taken between these checks.

Arriving home around 4:30 o'clock riders and checkers were guests at the home of Bob Shanks, where refreshments were served.

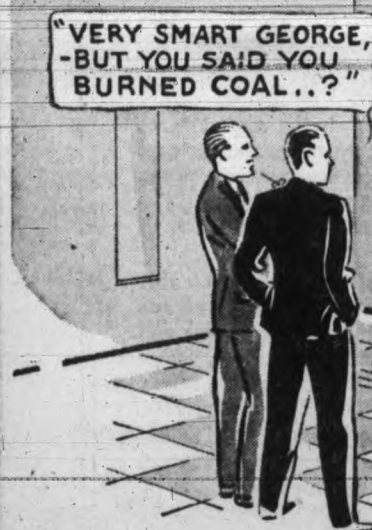
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CITY SHUTTLE PLAY STARTS

Annual Championship Tournament Will Open Tonight at the Willows

Victoria's leading badminton players will open play tonight at the Willows Agricultural Building in the annual city championships. With close to 200 entries tournament officials are looking forward to one of the finest meets in history.

Play will continue each evening until Friday, when the finals will be run off.

The draw for tonight follows:

7:30 p.m.—Miss P. MacDonald vs. Miss G. McCall, Miss D. Morley vs. Miss D. Swayne, G. Lane vs. N. Dutcher, R. Bagley vs. R. Hurdie, S. Carson vs. S. Warren, D. Beasdale vs. H. MacDonald, P. Coleclough vs. H. Ford, J. Moore vs. E. T. Simmons.

8 p.m.—Miss J. Thompson vs. Miss M. Russell, Miss B. Murdoch vs. Miss K. Parker, I. Phillips vs. A. Pitkethley, M. Beedham vs. R. A. Phillips, Miss P. Sluggitt and Miss M. Sluggitt vs. Miss I. Benson and Miss M. Campbell, Miss I. Bell and W. F. Holdridge vs. Miss H. Nicholson and D. M. Gordon, Miss W. Robb and J. White vs. Miss P. Oates and W. Dunbar, Miss K. Hall and J. Hall vs. Miss P. Jackson and W. E. Corfield.

8:30 p.m.—Miss D. Cetter and P. Coleclough vs. Miss M. Jeanie and A. Slocomb, Miss P. MacDonald and H. MacDonald vs. Miss B. Garrard and R. Hurdie, Miss M. Fraser and R. Haymer vs. Mrs. Zolotochin and R. Towgood, Misses K. Grogan and M. Hughes vs. Miss E. Alexander and Miss E. Matthews, Miss D. Morley and Mrs. MacDonald vs. Mrs. Green and Miss D. Swayne, Misses I. Alexander and H. Peden vs. Misses J. and M. French.

9 p.m.—Green and P. Renwick vs. E. Bell and G. Moore, J. Gray and W. Leach vs. I. Temple and R. Martin, Miss J. Thompson and D. Hinks vs. Miss H. Nicholson and K. Dunbar, N. Dutcher and D. Fish vs. J. P. and R. G. Phillips, Mrs. Heywood and D. Beasdale vs. Miss I. Benson and W. Delf, Miss P. Oates and D. M. Gordon vs. Mrs. Young and G. Lane.

9:30 p.m.—Miss P. Sluggitt and J. Watt vs. Mrs. MacDonald and I. Davis, Miss M. Campbell and P. Coleclough vs. Miss K. Harris and F. Tyrrell, H. S. Flett and J. Hall vs. R. Hurdie and R. Hurdie, J. White and A. Slocomb vs. J. Moore and T. O. Keddie, Miss P. Jackson and Miss G. McCall vs. Miss M. Styan and Miss B. Donnell, Miss P. Cheet and Miss M. Jeanie vs. Mrs. Foote and Miss E. Saunders.

10 p.m.—Miss M. Russell and Mrs. Mangin vs. Miss R. Fields and Mrs. B. Hyndman, Miss M. Sluggitt and R. Knott vs. Miss I. Alexander and N. Dutcher, Miss M. Hughes and R. Bagley vs. Miss E. Saunders and J. Fish, Miss P. MacDonald and J. P. Phillips vs. Miss D. Swayne and J. C. I. Edwards, Miss M. Barber-Starkie and Miss K. Williams vs. Miss P. Garrard and Miss B. Murdoch, Miss R. Watson and Miss H. Benson vs. Miss D. Hooper and Miss K. Parker.

Birds prefer not to fly. They fly to obtain food and to escape from their enemies. Birds living in regions free from carnivorous animals tend to lose their flying ability.

family. Akira has traveled with his parents wherever they have gone. He has four brothers and sisters, who are with their grandparents in Japan. Mr. Komuro has been transferred from London to the Dutch East Indies. They were in Victoria awaiting the departure of the liner Empress of Asia, which was fogbound in Vancouver. They left on Saturday afternoon.

The little fellow, delicate as a bit of Oriental porcelain, was dressed in a grey sweater suit and with his jet black-thatched head bobbing inquiringly, caught the fancy of practically every guest at the hotel.

His father, who is an import and export manager with the Mitsui Company, explained that Akira disliked his given name, and preferred to be called "Baby."

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J. G. BROWN IS BACK IN CITY

Former Resident Dominion Architect Returns From Scotland After Four Years

J. G. Brown, former resident Dominion Government architect here, and seventy-seven years of age still an active tennis player, is back in Victoria from Scotland, where he went to live after his retirement from the Public Works Department four years ago.

Mr. Brown arrived at the Douglas Hotel last Wednesday, after crossing the Atlantic in the Canadian Pacific liner Duchess of Atholl. He plans to remain here for two or three weeks before leaving for Glendale, Calif., on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. G. R. McVicker, returning to Victoria in the spring to spend the summer at his favorite sport. He does not expect to go back to Scotland until the spring of 1938 when he wants to see the British Empire Exhibition in Glasgow.

He is impressed with the feeling of impending war to be felt over Europe, and says that people in Britain are settling down to the idea that an eventual outbreak is inevitable, and that conscription is now recognized as bound to come.

In social conditions in Britain he finds a great transformation since

the years immediately after the war, especially brought about through enormous housing schemes. This housing expansion is accompanied by many other activities designed to improve the health of the people.

"More is being done for the common people in England and Scotland than anywhere else in the world," said Mr. Brown.

He was impressed by the interest being taken in the Dominions and by the great merchandizing campaigns for Canadian products in England and Scotland.

B.C. Teacher Is Honored

For the first time a British Columbian has been elected an associate member of the Royal Canadian Academy of Arts, according to word received by the Department of Education today.

The honor has been conferred upon W. P. Weston, art master of the Provincial Normal School, Vancouver, who has been a constant exhibitor at eastern galleries for some years. He specializes in distinctively western scenes and his style is characterized by great breadth and decorative effect.

Mr. Weston is the author of the Teachers' Manual of Drawing prescribed for use in B.C. schools.

A London curiosity shop has on exhibit a teapot with three spouts, which permit the pouring of three cups of tea at one time.

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First announcement of the successful use in America of this chemical—called Frontol for short—was made by the Hopkins scientists, Drs. Perrin H. Long and Eleanor Bliss, at the meeting here of the Southern Medical Association last week (November 17).

The chemical is a dye and comes in two forms, one for injection and the other a tablet to be chewed up. This chemical remedy has been successfully used in treating scarlet fever, puerperal fever, middle ear disease, and streptococcus throat infections. It should, according to Drs. Long and Bliss, prove successful as a remedy for any disease due to infection with hemolytic streptococci. These streptococci cause destruction of the red blood cells.

The infection which threatens the life of the Little Rock patient, Miss Jaypee Easley, is reported to be due to another type of streptococcus. Drs. Long and Bliss have not yet reported

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Sanath the penalties of modern living. De away with tired, sluggish, bad-taste, head-schy mornings. Wake up peppy and full of energy. It's easy, you'll think it miraculous. Follow in the footsteps of thousands who have regained full health and energy with Fruit-a-tives. The prescription of a famous Canadian doctor, Fruit-a-tives contain extracts of fruits and herbs and act to stimulate life of the vital organs of the body, cleanse the elimination tract of wastes and poisons, tend to purify the blood of harmful poisons and acids. Fruit-a-tives' unique tonic effects bring new energy, new health. So try Fruit-a-tives today. For sale everywhere. Cost is low—25c, 50c. For your own protection refuse any substitutes. Insist on "Fruit-a-tives."

Letters to the Editor

THE POWERLESS FUTURE

To the Editor:—Dr. Edison Pettit of Mount Wilson Observatory claims that the stocks of fossil fuels will be exhausted within fifty years. The present rate of gasoline consumption by motor vehicles is very great, not only for auto but for other means of transportation and notably airplanes. The carburetor on auto wastes a very great amount of gasoline. The ordinary auto averages up to as high as a gallon for twenty-seven miles. A car with a Pogue patented carburetor goes 100 miles to the gallon. Taking these quantities the ordinary carburetor wastes seventy-three parts out of every 100 parts consumed. A transport department of the Dominion government has been set up. One of the uses for that department would be to buy up the patent on such carburetors and build several factories to make carburetors that will not waste gasoline when working on autos and other machines.

JOHN STEWART.

462 Chester Street.

CHAYOTE

To the Editor:—I was quite interested to read in the magazine section of last Saturday's Times, the high vegetable quality of the chayote (chiotie), semi-tropical or tropical plant, and of the problem that faced the inspector when he thought to settle the question by looking up horticultural references.

He would hardly expect to go to southern Mexico or down for the next 1,000 miles across the equator and expect to find references to help him on the vegetable qualities of carrots, beets, cabbage etc. But if the people here like chayotes they may start to ship Juanavanas, (whan-avanas), onanas, aguacates (avocados), papayas (papayas), mangoes, Guavas, Zapotes, (Zapotes), or they might send a piece of Yucca root two to three feet long two inches thick, used as substitute for potatoes.

Then the inspector might say, "Well, why ship wood among the vegetables," as it looks more like a wood than a vegetable. Plantain one foot long (large coarse banana), used in the same way and many other that one may go out into the bush and take his choice of as all the above are in the fruit-vegetable class and are not cultivated.

D. R. BREMER.

162 Joseph Street.

WANTS HER JOHNSON UN-DEBUNKED

To the Editor:—Bruce Hutchison writes that Dr. Samuel Johnson's "Rasselas" is "turgid, muddy, stow, moving like congealed treacle."

Really, "Rasselas," masterpiece of English prose, a work on Ethiopia, contains a world of information and sound thinking.

Mr. Hutchison says Dr. Johnson, without his Boswell, "would have been utterly forgotten long ago, along with very many much more important men."

Of Dr. Johnson's importance, Carlyle writes: "A great man belongs to all ages. The significance of his greatness, silently teaching every new generation, is inexhaustible. Of such chosen men was Samuel Johnson. Bravest of the brave, his high keener visioned soul was by nature gifted for the guidance of mankind."

That England escaped a blood-bath like unto the French Revolution and may yet work peacefully into a new era, let Samuel Johnson, above all contemporaries of succeeding men, have the credit for it. (Carlyle's "Life of Johnson.")

With the aid of time, all that is needed to rot a nation is to rot its literature. Hence the political nature of this educational system of debunking great writers.

People subconsciously imitate what they admire. Hence this "de-bunking" deprives the people of great characters to imitate and mold themselves thereupon.

"He who cannot appreciate greatness, is himself doomed to be little," writes Carlyle.

By "de-bunking" the people are kept mentally down and under.

Incidentally, a completely falsified version of Boswell's "Life of Johnson" is in circulation. Democracy should ask "Why?"

GLADYS SHERAPNE.

1578 Olive Drive.

VICTORIA AIRPORT

To the Editor:—My recent letter commenting on the use of the term "emergency landing field" by a Chamber of Commerce delegation has produced an explanation by a leading member of that institution.

After hearing the various features of the plan sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, described in detail, it resolves itself into a choice between what type of airport should be developed near Victoria and what can be obtained in view of the present financial difficulties of our city.

In view of the explanation and on the grounds that "Half a loaf is better than no bread" I am obliged to agree, in fairness to the Chamber of Commerce delegation, that an emergency airport project, which is a possibility, is to be preferred to a main airport scheme which is impossible of attainment, at the moment, for financial reasons. But it is a very unfortunate state of affairs, as we should unquestionably have the main Pacific Terminal Airport here.

Of course, as Victoria's finances improve it should be possible to expand an emergency landing field into a full sized main airport.

It would have been better, in my opinion, if the head of the delegation, had made this point clear in the press report referred to in my letter.

I still contend that Victoria should have the main Pacific Terminal Airport, as soon as it is financially possible.

able, and that any delay from this cause is most regrettable.

Before closing I would like to add that in any airport scheme for Victoria, the surrounding municipalities should each bear a fair share of the costs involved.

The continued support, in airport matters, of The Victoria Daily Times, during the last several years, is greatly appreciated by those interested in such development.

SYDNEY PICKLES, A.P.R.A.S.,
378 Newport Avenue.

FROM A SWEDENBORGIAN

To the Editor:—It is nearly twenty years since I came to the "parting of the ways," so to speak, in my attitude towards God and religion. And this turning point was the result of reading an advertisement in your paper, of the cheap editions of "Swedenborg's" four smaller works. These I sent for and gradually became "a changed man," as the Oxford Groupers would put it. Although I have tried to interest others in these works my efforts have been unsuccessful. However, there are a good many thousands of others, for generations past, who have become interested, many of whom I have since met.

My wife and children and I are back here after a sojourn of some years in South Africa, where we were living in Durban, with a church society—followers of Swedenborg. Naturally we hope in time to arouse the interest of a few in these parts, although an advertisement some months ago brought no response. Now I see a possibility of bringing the chief tenant of Swedenborg's before the eyes of your readers, in an incidental way.

P. C. FRAZER.

Brentwood Bay.

BLIND WORK HERE

To the Editor:—The following letter has been addressed to M. C. Robinson, M.C., superintendent, Canadian National Institute for the Blind, Vancouver:—As I have heard that the Victoria Women's Auxiliary to the Canadian National Institute for the Blind are about to hold their annual Christmas sale of articles made by blind people in this city, I feel this is an opportune time to express my appreciation of the work of the Institute and the Victoria Women's Auxiliary. As you know, I was for some time a pupil of Miss McKellar, your Vancouver Home Teacher, obtaining my first knowledge of handicrafts from her, and during the last several years this knowledge has been increased through the teaching and suggestions received from Miss Dorothy Stark, the Institute's permanent Home Teacher in Victoria.

While I have never excelled as a reader of Braille, I am glad to say I have sufficient knowledge of this system of reading to enable me to enjoy a game of cribbage and five hundred through the use of Braille Playing Cards.

I would particularly like to mention the service we blind people receive as a result of the Women's Auxiliary's sale of our products, not only because of the financial gain necessary as it may be, but more particularly because of the occupation provided.

I would like to refer to the good work which has been done by the Robert Burns McKicking Chapter of the I.O.D.E. on behalf of the blind, pending the organization of a Women's Auxiliary in Victoria. Although such an auxiliary has now been formed, the chapter still retains an interest in the work for the blind, and the members of this chapter, as well as the members of the auxiliary and the Institute itself, we count as our most valued friends.

Trusting that the efforts of the Women's Auxiliary on our behalf will be rewarded by the whole-hearted support of the citizens of Victoria.

A VICTORIA BLIND RESIDENT.

RELIEFERS AND WATER SERVICE

To the Editor:—May I refer to those citizens of Esquimalt and Oak Bay Municipality, who, having been compelled through economic necessity to ask for relief, have been denied water service.

Esquimalt the water system is under the control of the City of Victoria. The disposal of relief in Esquimalt is under the Esquimalt relief and council. Were the Esquimalt Water System owned by a private corporation, one would not read of recipients of relief within Esquimalt being denied access to water. The motive in the mind of some of the Esquimalt Council is to create the impression that the denial is on account of the heartless and soulless City of Victoria for the express purpose of making a political football of their less fortunate citizens. If the Esquimalt Water System were controlled by private corporations, the Esquimalt relief and council would long ago have had to have made provision for these unfortunate.

In Oak Bay it is somewhat different. Oak Bay is in the unique position of having its water delivered cheaper than the cost to the citizens of Victoria who have had their homes mortgaged, put up as collateral for the water service. It is thus that it is possible for Oak Bay to have such a low water rate at the expense of the over-burdened taxpayers of Victoria.

I am of the same opinion as our correspondent, W. Summerfield; Oak Bay is a soulless, profit-making, private corporation.

WALTER INWARD.

1446 Lang Street.

WOULD PREFER TO BE A BUDDHIST

To the Editor:—Why are the clergy allowed to go on preaching about the "peace of the world which passeth understanding," when everyone knows the world is crum full of misery and strife, wars and rumors of wars?

Why not let them preach about the unsettled state of the world and how to cure it? I would suggest that every preacher, from a bishop down, should preach the following doctrine to all their people of whatever denomination:

People born to this world have certain duties: first, to their father and mother; second, to their country; third, to their employer or those in authority over them, and lastly, to themselves.

Also, if government school authorities instructed all teachers to teach children from ten years and up the same doctrine, in time this might be a better world to live in. That is the real meaning of Pacifism, and half the world is already believing in it.

Personally, although I was brought up "Church of England," from what I have seen of the world and various religions in many countries, I would prefer to be a Buddhist.

They do not paddy to any wind that blows. They do not interfere in politics. They most certainly are devout, and be their religion right or wrong in our opinion, it is one and only one; not a dozen different kinds, like ours, Methodists, Baptists and so on. I cannot imagine any white people, "walking" hundreds of miles and sleeping by the way to lay their tokens at their shrine or altar as they do to the Temple of Buddha's tooth in Ceylon. Present-day people would want a motor or not at all. We may call them heathen people, but I doubt it. I have seen more sacrilegious acts at Japanese temples than I cared to see, done by white people.

"AN OBSERVER OF THINGS."
Cowichan Bay.

ABOUT FABIANISM

To the Editor:—Judging from recent letters the public of Victoria as a whole is completely ignorant of the significance of Fabianism.

The Fabian Society consists of Socialists (aiming at the abolition of individual effort) and is a constituent of the International Socialist Congress. It enters freely all movements of any kind which can be guided toward its own objects. Its prime business is "the propaganda of Socialism." It also investigates conditions, works out and publishes Socialist principles, together with the results of its investigations.

Like Fabius Cunctator in 218 B.C. it waits patiently for the opportune moment to strike (hard).

It obtained political power in England with the election of its off-spring, the Labor Party (1924).

It is primarily a society of intellectuals. It was founded by Thomas Davidson in Great Britain, and stimulated by Rob F. Dale Owen, and among some of its earlier members were Ramsay MacDonald, G. B. Shaw, Lord Passfield and Beatrice Webb, Lord Olivier, Mrs. Annie Besant (founder of the insidious theosophical movement), etc.

Fabianism is a strange mixture of Babouvism, Marxism, Bakounist Anarchism, and co-operative Socialism. Of prime importance is the fact that from its drawing-room meetings arose its policy of temporizing and permeating existing movements with Fabianism.

Many Fabians became influential civil servants. The society contrived to obtain the confidence of all sections: the Liberals, the capitalists, the landed aristocracy, and the working class.

To suit the anarchists, Fabian parliamentary league was formed. A prominent leader of early Fabians was none other than Karl Marx's co-worker, Friedrich Engels. Under his leadership, the early Fabians about 1894 summarized their objects as follows: "To establish a Socialist state where land and capital will be held by the community."

Another Fabian off-spring was the Marxist Independent Labor Party. Fabians rule the British municipal councils.

They aim to ruin capitalism, hence have little or no regard for the budgets of the people's money.

During the war the Union for Democratic Control was formed to combat patriotism.

Bishop Headlam was a Fabian, with several other Anglican divines. Clifford Allen transformed the "University Socialist Societies" into the Fabian U.S. Federation and used propaganda is spread by their summer schools.

Fabians created the famous London School of Economics and Political Science for their own ends. H. J. Danks is the leader here.

Eight Fabians were members of the 1929 cabinet. Fourteen others were government officers.

There are strong Fabian influences in Britain, Denmark, the Dominions, U.S.A., Spain, and even Japan. Leon Blum, French Socialist frequently gives Fabian lectures.

Fabianism's American counterpart is the League for Industrial Democracy, the Ethical Culture Society, the Intercollegiate Socialist League and other student groups, the American Civil Liberties Union, the Public Ownership League, etc.

It strongly influences the all-powerful but subservient Federal Council of Churches.

The N.R.A. parallels the Fabian P.E.P. The Fabian Society, as such, does not favor revolutionary methods, but rather the slow, sure eating away of our present system by any and every means.

Perhaps this may be the quickest in the long run. Who knows? We are faced with a collapse of capitalism and the advent of a similar period, through similar reasons, as the "Dark Ages."

It is our duty to defend our civilization. Cook Street.

VIOLENT.

Nanaimo, Nov. 30.—Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Watson, a native of Victoria, where she was born in 1870, passed away here Saturday night. She was the eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Morris, the former being founder of the Nanaimo Free Press.

She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Fanny Larsen of Vancouver, and four granddaughters, Mrs. Charles Cook of Parksville, and the Misses Valeria Irene and Geraldine Bertram of Vancouver.

Imperial Bank of Canada

62nd ANNUAL MEETING

Deposits at All-time High

General Business Shows Improvement

The Annual Meeting of Shareholders was held at the Head Office, Toronto, on November 25th. Mr. A. E. Phipps, General Manager, said in part:

You will note that the Profit and Loss Statement this year is in a different form, a change having been made by request for the sake of uniformity. Last year the profits were \$1,205,079.49. This year the amount shown is \$962,813.37, the reason of course being that this year the amount is net after deductions for Pension Fund, taxes, etc., to the extent of some \$350,000. Had the account been made up in the same form as in 1935 the comparable figure to the \$1,205,079 would be \$1,240,256, or an increase of \$32,176. Out of the earnings have been paid the usual dividend of 10 per cent, taking \$700,000; \$250,000 has been written off Bank Premises Account and \$12,813 has been carried forward, leaving a surplus to be carried forward of \$620,055 compared with \$907,242 a year ago. We consider the result satisfactory and trust that it will appear satisfactory to you.

NOTE CIRCULATION DOWN.

Turning to the Balance Sheet and taking the liabilities first in the order they appear. Our Notes in Circulation are \$6,110,665, a decrease of \$379,000. The authorized amount of our circulation was cut down on the 1st January last by 5 per cent, and as the penalties for excess circulation are severe we have to keep well within the authorized limit of \$6,500,000. We would have no difficulty in expanding our circulation very considerably were it lawful to do so.

DEPOSITS INCREASE.

The deposits total \$124,616,919 compared with \$114,674,601 a year ago, an increase in round figures of ten million dollars. From 1934 to 1935 there was an increase of seven million dollars in the deposits so that in two years there has been an increase of over seventeen millions. The deposits are at an all-time high level for the Bank, the previous high level having been in 1929 when the figure was \$122,900,000. During the year all the Chartered Banks ceased paying interest on Current Account deposits, and as a result the Bank's deposits not bearing interest increased by ten millions compared with last year, and the deposits bearing interest show a moderate decrease of two millions. What this means is that while ten millions of our formerly interest bearing deposits moved to the non-interest bearing class eight millions of new interest bearing deposits were secured during the year.

The Balances Due to Agents in Canada and Abroad are \$3,152,236, bringing the total liabilities to the public up to \$133,879,821, compared with \$125,070,685 last year.

CASH HOLDINGS.

Turning to the assets, our cash holding a year ago were \$21,774,227. This year they are \$20,818,869, in addition to which we held among our securities \$2,500,000 of Dominion and Canadian Treasury Bills instantly available, making our cash position \$23,318,869, or 17.4 per cent of liabilities to the public, the same as last year.

Including the Treasury Bills we held on 31st October \$47,495,334 of Dominion and Provincial direct and guaranteed securities, of which \$6,424,887 mature within two years. The total compares with 29 millions a year ago, and 23 millions in 1934.

SECURITY HOLDINGS INCREASE.

The Municipal securities not exceeding market value and other bonds, debentures and stocks totalled \$4,093,515, making a grand total of investments in securities of \$31,588,850 compared with \$24 millions last year. Owing to the continued lack of demand for commercial loans, the only safe outlet for investment of additional deposits received and funds returning from loans no longer required has been the purchase of Government and Municipal Securities. This is the explanation for the very substantial increase which is common to all the Banks in Canada.

Our Call Loans, \$7,774,150, are up \$2,000,000, a satisfactory feature, the loans being of an extremely liquid nature and the security ample.

The loans to Provincial Governments, \$5,700,000, are unchanged, and our Municipal loans, \$6,586,144, are about \$900,000 up.

Adding together the cash holdings of \$20,818,869, the Securities, \$31,588,850, and the quickly realizable loans, \$30,404,353, we get a total of \$82,812,072 cash and readily realizable assets equal to 69.05 per cent of our liabilities to the public.

CURRENT LOANS DOWN.

As indicated the great change in our loaning position is a decrease in our Current Loans from 60 millions a year ago to just over 50 millions this year. There has been a very general decrease in commercial loans in Canada largely on account of the liquidation of the large wheat carryover in Western Canada, the Bank having a substantial share of that business. According to the Government Return for September, the last Return available, the Current loans in Canada of all the Chartered Banks decreased during the year from 839 millions to 687 millions, or 152 millions of dollars. It would appear that the shrinkage in our loans has been no greater than the average. Since the beginning of July the current loans of the Chartered Banks have been gradually increasing, and we hope that the low level has been passed.

Bank Premises account remains at \$6,000,000. The moderate amount of assets under other headings remain at approximately the same figures.

BRANCHES.

The Branches of the Bank now total 194. During the year Sub Branches were opened at Pickering and Beardmore, in the mining section of North-Western Ontario, and we closed the Branch ataledonia, Ont., and two sub-offices, one at Queenston, Ont., and the other at Ramore, in Northern Ontario.

SHAREHOLDERS.

The shareholders of the Bank now total 2,631, compared with 2,610 a year ago. The shares held by residents of the United States number 7,703, divided amongst 324 shareholders, compared with 8,945 and 330 shareholders last year.

The staff of the Bank now totals 1,367, compared with 1,329 a year ago. I associate myself with what the President has said, and want to thank every member of the staff, from the highest to the lowest. I am sure that to their wholehearted and loyal support the satisfactory results laid before you to-day can be largely attributed.

NEW BUILDING.

The President has referred to the new building, and all I will add is that it was completed practically within the estimates, and that since moving into it we have not found it necessary to make any alterations or improvements whatever. The building is both comfortable and convenient, and you can be the best judges of the appearance and appointments. Those of you who have not been over the building will have an opportunity of doing so at the close of this Meeting.

GENERAL BANKING SITUATION.

For the year ended 30th September (last figures available) the total deposits of all the Canadian Chartered Banks increased \$167,000,000, of which \$67,000,000 was in the Savings Department. The aggregate of all bank deposits on that date was \$2,263,000,000. This sum, together with the \$116,000,000 in Chartered Bank notes in circulation, and an undetermined amount of

Bank of Canada notes in circulation, probably give us a total of \$2,500,000,000 as the available banking funds in Canada. On the same date the total current loans in Canada, including loans to Provincial Governments and to Cities, Towns and Municipalities, was \$820,000,000. These figures, if they mean anything, indicate that there is no lack of funds for commercial or other credits in accordance with sound banking practice. The Banks are in a strong position should a general revival of business take place to furnish all the credit that responsible customers can legitimately use, and I can assure you that if the current loans are not expanding as fast as some public men would like, it is not for lack of funds but rather from lack of borrowers. The Canadian Banks are ready and willing to assist recovery in a generous way.

PRIMARY PRODUCTION GROWING.

The President has dealt with the improved condition of business and I agree with all that he has said. At the same time it has occurred to me that a few figures or statistics in support of his remarks might prove interesting. From the most trustworthy sources available I learn that the estimate of primary production for Canada in 1936 in dollar values is approximately as follows:

Agriculture	\$800,000,000
Forestry	250,000,000
Fisheries	40,000,000
Trapping	8,500,000
Mining	370,000,000
Electric Power	175,000,000

Total \$1,643,500,000

Increase over 1935 \$243,000,000

The figures regarding agriculture are by no means complete, and the amount of \$800,000,000 is a rough estimate. Included in the figure is grain production for all of Canada with an estimated value of \$424,000,000. The forestry figure includes lumber exports for eight months 1,946,000,000 feet, of which \$30,000,000 feet is from British Columbia, as compared with 606,000,000 feet from that Province for the entire year 1935. The forestry figure also includes asprinit production for eight months 2,934,000 tons, which I understand is a record for all time.

Fisheries production estimated at \$370,000,000 is a high point. Aided by the best run of salmon on the Pacific Coast since 1930, the value of the catch for the Province of British Columbia alone is estimated at 13½ million dollars.

The value of mining products estimated at \$370,000,000 also indicates a new high. In the past year mining progress in Canada has been more widespread than formerly, for not only have many new gold properties reached the stage of production but there has been a marked recovery in coal and asbestos while the production capacity of copper and nickel have increased enormously. It is to be noted that the figure of \$370,000,000 means that Canadian income is receiving \$1,000,000 a day from this important industry. There is no reason why we should not expect steady and continual growth in our production of minerals.

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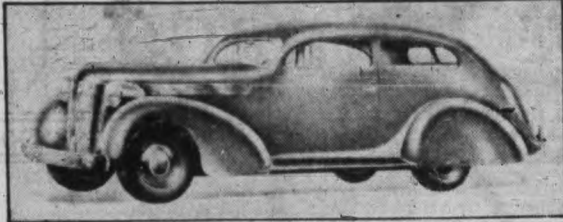
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New De Soto On Display



DE SOTO DE LUXE TWO-DOOR TOURING SEDAN

A brand-new car designed to present a large and powerful appearance and featuring major engineering and mechanical improvements that include a "Safety Interior," increased roominess, complete sound-proofing, easier riding qualities, and a completely new engine is offered by De Soto. The new cars are displayed at the Beggs Motor Co. Ltd. today.

Featuring a horizontal grille that sweeps back along the hood to form the louvers of the car, the new De Soto, with its powerful and distinctive appearance, has an individuality all of its own.

Speed and action is built into every part of the car from front to back bumper yet lines are simple with soft flowing curves and contours lending a distinctive smartness.

The hood of the car, stamped out of one piece, is long and sleek-looking. It is hinged at the rear and opens from the front. The radiator ornament has been modernized and now acts as the hood lock-control.

Wide and graceful front fenders are designed to completely eliminate the "cat-walk" between the fenders and the hood. The headlights are larger than before with increased diameter lenses. They are mounted to the side of the radiator.

At the rear the body has more slope rounding smoothly across the stern and terminating in a pleasing inverted curve. Trunks and rear deck panels blend skillfully into the body lines. Trunks are larger than before.

Windstream tail lamps are mounted on the fenders. License plate brackets, in the exact centre of the trunks, give the De Soto rear end a balanced and more finished appearance.

A new seamless steel top extends in one piece from the cowl clear back to the rear trunk opening. It is welded to the all-steel structure of the body. This top, said to be the largest of its kind in the industry, is pressed in giant machines exerting 3,000,000 pounds of pressure.

A deep drip moulding continues from front to rear above the doors and the rear quarter windows and is welded to the roof before the top is joined to the rest of the structure. The all-steel body structure as a whole has been strengthened. Stronger bracing has been used in the cowl and the rear end. The door hinges are now bolted to the door posts.

The centre post of a steel box-section has a wider flare at the top and has a rabbetted surface, which strengthens it and cuts down drafts between doors and posts.

MISS MACPHAIL FOR ARMS LIMITS

Canadian Woman M.P. Speaking in Washington, Suggests Halt in Expenditures By U.S.

Associated Press

Washington, Nov. 30.—Miss Agnes Macphail, one of two women members of the Canadian House of Commons, says Canada is becoming restive over the United States rearmament programme.

"We think it is time you called a halt to your increasing military and naval appropriations if we are to take to heart the sweet words of peace and goodwill that drop from the lips of your President," she said in "Town Hall," a local forum, yesterday evening.

Declaring Canadians accepted the explanation that the United States armament programme was for defence only, she added:

"But a rearmament programme after it reaches certain proportions becomes offensive to those looking on whether it is for defensive purposes or not."

Carpet Bowling

Results of matches in the Victoria Carpet Bowling League follow:

Section A

Crystal Garden Pirates 22, Eagles C 15.

Eagles C 12, Britannia Rangers 16.

S.O.E. Renown 11, Britannia Rovers 17.

Britannia Royals 25, Crystal Garden Pirates 16.

Section B

Britannia United 19, Britannia Rovers 17.

Crystal Garden Revellers 18, S.O.E. Hood 18.

Britannia Sports 19, Crystal Garden Rovers 16.

Britannia Rovers 18, Britannia Sports 17.

Section C

Crystal Garden Spades 25, Eagles B 10.

S.O.E. Repulse 26, S.O.E. Delhi 22.

S.O.E. Nelson 16, Britannia Rovers 16.

Burnside 18, Britannia Stars 12.

Eagles B 13, S.O.E. Nelson 25.

LEAGUE STANDING

Section A

Hudson's Bay Beavers 5 5 0 0 10

Crystal Garden Pirates 4 2 0 0 8

Britannia Royals 4 2 0 0 8

Britannia Rovers 4 2 0 0 8

S.O.E. Victory 4 2 0 0 8

Eagles C 4 2 0 0 8

S.O.E. Renown 4 2 0 0 8

Section B

Britannia United 6 5 0 0 12

Crystal Garden Revellers 6 3 0 0 12

S.O.E. Hood 6 3 0 0 12

Eagles B 6 3 0 0 12

S.O.E. Delhi 6 3 0 0 12

Crystal Garden Spades 6 3 0 0 12

Eagles B 6 3 0 0 12

S.O.E. Nelson 6 3 0 0 12

Section C

S.O.E. Repulse 6 5 0 0 12

Britannia Stars 6 3 0 0 12

Burnside 6 3 0 0 12

S.O.E. Delhi 6 3 0 0 12

Crystal Garden Spades 6 3 0 0 12

Eagles B 6 3 0 0 12

S.O.E. Nelson 6 3 0 0 12

Mrs. MacKinnon Is Tombstone Winner

Mrs. J. A. MacKinnon won the tombstone competition played by the women members of the George Vale Golf Club over the week-end, planting her "tombstone" 350 yards from the last hole. Mrs. E. R. Walker was second.

Next week-end a one-cup competition will be staged on Saturday and Sunday. Players may choose their own partners and starting times.

On Sunday, Dec. 13, there will be mixed foursomes, and intending players are requested to hand in their names to Secretary Smart or to Mrs. H. R. Allen, women's captain, as soon as possible.

CAMPAIGNERS HOLD DINNER

Memories of Campaigns in Many Countries Recalled at Annual Reunion

Memories of adventure, heroism and hardship in many countries were recalled in Spencer's dining-room on Saturday night when fifty veterans of campaigns in Canada, India, South Africa, Egypt and Europe gathered under the presidency of Colonel Lorne Ross for the annual reunion dinner of the British Campaigners' Association.

The veterans opened their meeting by standing in silent tribute to comrades who had died during the last war.

Bishop George Exton Lloyd, a veteran of the Northwest Rebellion of 1885, asked the blessing.

The toast to the King was proposed by Colonel Ross, after which members joined in community singing led and accompanied by Percy Fletcher.

Impressions of campaigns in Egypt in which he took part from 1882 to 1885 were given by J. Milne, a former Royal Marine. There was a note of tragedy in his story when he told how a comrade with whom he shared his tent had been blown up while trying to hammer the fuse out of a shell.

Chief Petty Officer McIntosh, R.N., gave a short and clear account of the Ashanti campaign in West Africa in 1896.

The stories of old members of the association who had taken part in the Crimea, Baltic, Indian Mutiny and New Zealand campaigns were related to the meeting by W. C. Warren, who was followed by Thomas Davis and Major A. E. Christie, veterans of the Boer War.

Mr. Mount described the manner in which the news of the revolt reached Winnipeg, and the action of Major-General Frederick Middleton, who sent out a main column from Qu'Appelle to Prince Albert, another force from Swift Current to Battleford, and a third from Calgary to Edmonton and on to Fort Pitt.

It was a matter of regret, said Mr. Mount, that the services of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police in the rebellion had never been properly recognized. They were not even granted the medal and clasp presented at the conclusion of the campaign.

Mr. Mount's story was one of marches through snow, water, mud blizzards and zero weather with nothing but fat bacon and hardtack for rations.

He told how Batoche was finally taken after a number of encounters which brought heavy losses to both sides, and after him Riel and the Indians, Poundmaker and Big Bear.

Between March 25 and July 15 the column of which he was a member marched 575 miles, traveled over 1,000 miles by water and another 325 by rail, and fought for five days.

Their marches were through swamps, muskegs and rough trails, and always under difficulties, Mr. Mount said.

San Mateo, Calif., Nov. 30.—Presence of a speedy array of sprinters led Bay Meadows track officials to express belief today the American record of 1:09-1-5 for six furlongs may be shattered Saturday in the \$5,000 Burlington handicap.

Probable starters for the week's outstanding race include Alviso, holder of the track record of 1:09-4-5; Ariel Cross and Upmost.

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Cranberry Sauce
English Plum Pudding
Brandy Sauce
Peach Cobbler
Glazed Apples
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Milk
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GUEST TOWELS—In damask with colored borders. Choice of three simple designs. 29c

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ARGOOD APRICOT JAM, 4-lb

Americans And Canadiens Register Smart Hockey Victories

THE SPORTS MIRROR

By PETE SALLAWAY

BAY MEADOWS has brought racing back to California for another winter.

It will be but a few short weeks until Santa Anita opens its doors for its third season.

There is something back of the amazing spurge of Santa Anita which seems to escape the average turf fan.

For instance, there is virtually no breeding of race horses in Florida and Louisiana.

Most people long since have forgotten the part California played in the early career of the race horse in the United States.

Theodore Winters perhaps was first to prove that California might vie with Kentucky as a breeding ground.

Norfolk's opportunities were limited because of the lack of good mares in California.

Strangely enough, all of those stars came from one mare—Marian, still remembered as the greatest producer among mares.

After the days of Winters, Baldwin and Adolph Spreckles—his son bred the famous Morvich—James Ben Ali Haggin established his famous Rancho Del Paso in California.

Augusta, Ga., Nov. 30.—Striking down the stretch in a garrison finish, slender Ralph Guldahl of St. Louis, Mo., overtook the field yesterday to win first place money in the \$5,000 Augusta open golf tournament with a 72-hole score of 293.

The middle-aged automobile salesman stroked the last eighteen holes in 67.4, four under par, to pick up

Former Turn On Detroit to Win By 2 to 0 Score

World Champions Suffer Second Straight Defeat; Frenchmen Whip Chicago

Stand up and cheer a long cheer for Chicago's hockey fans, the most faithful of the ice game is likely to come upon for many a day.

There were 12,000 in their seats last night to see the Hawks take another trimming.

There were only 4,000 at the Forum to see Montreal Maroons win their second game, a 3 to 2 victory over New York Americans.

SCHIRMER STARS Sweeney Schirmer, the Calgary left wing, had a lot to do with Americans' win over Detroit.

The Canadian section leaders might have left Montreal with a tie but for Jimmy Ward and Alex Connell.

Three goals in thirty-three seconds, while Canadiens played two men short, won Maple Leafs their victory over the Habitués.

Up to that point the score had been tied 1 to 1 through goals by Toronto's Happy Day and Canadiens' Johnny Gagnon.

LONG SHOT WINS Miller made up for the effect of his injury by scoring the winning goal in Chicago last night.

Brussels were without Eddie Shore and Joe Jervis, both out with injuries, when they met Rangers in one of the rare Saturday night hockey matches in New York.

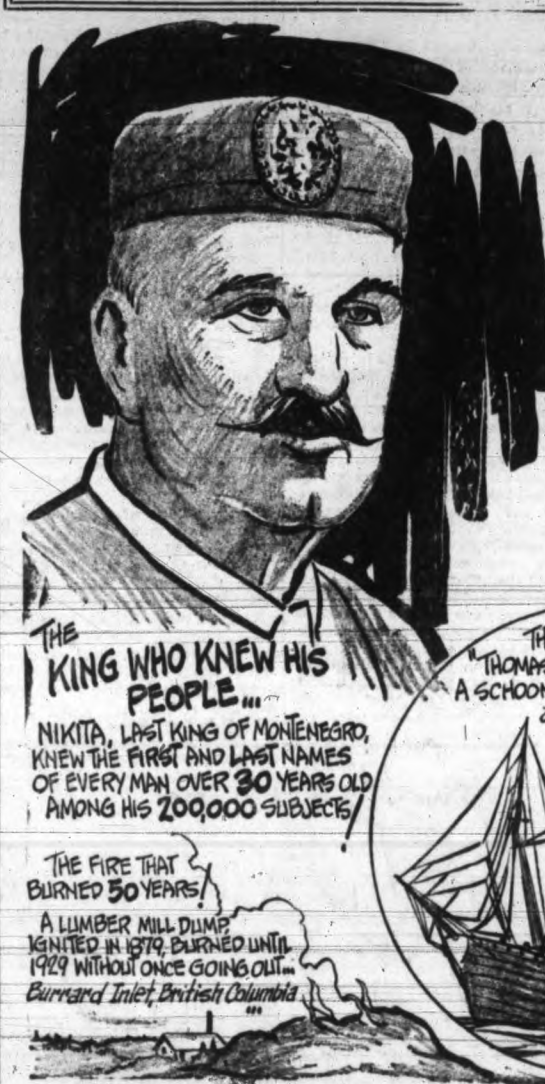
Ray Gettiffe scored for Boston in the first period and Alex Shibley evened it up for Rangers before the session was over.

15,000 and, triumph by two strokes over Henry Picard, Hershey, Pa., and Denny Shute, Boston, recently crowned P.G.A. champion.

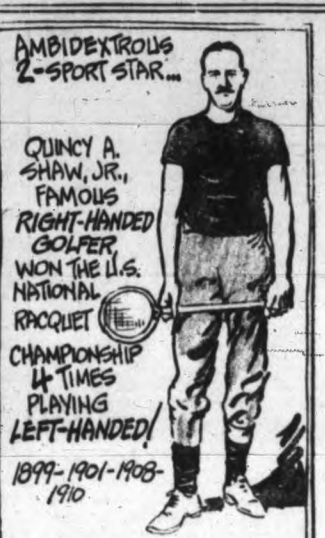
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STRANGE AS IT SEEMS

—By John Hix



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QUINCY A. SHAW, JR., FAMOUS RIGHT-HANDED GOLFER, WON THE U.S. NATIONAL RACQUET CHAMPIONSHIP 14 TIMES PLAYING LEFT-HANDED!

SEVEN-MASTED SCHOONER During a bid for many-masted ships in America in the early twentieth century, the Thomas W. Lawson was built for service in the Coastwise Transportation Company.

Nanaimo Eleven Defeats Saints

Mark Up 4 to 2 Victory Over St. Saviours in Intercity League Football; Match Featured By Retirement of Veteran Dick Stobbs

Nanaimo, B.C., Nov. 30.—Nanaimo City soccer eleven yesterday rang down the curtain on the career of Dick Stobbs, scintillating British Columbia star, with a 4 to 2 win over St. Saviour's in an Intercity League match here.

The match marked the retirement of Stobbs, who started in the game with the same team twenty-five years ago.

Victory Athletic Club, league-leading fourth-division aggregation, continued their winning streak, with a 1 to 0 victory over Esquimalt Meat Market.

Roller Hockey In the last seventeen division of the Royal Juvenile Athletic Association Roller Hockey League, Cameron's Aces defeated the Oak Bay Lions 2 to 0.

Results of games played in the Sunday Football League Saturday follow: St. Aidan's 5, Lake Hill Mission 1. St. Albans 4, Metropolitans 0. Centinials 2, Emmanuel Baptist 1.

Decisive Wins Mark Fixtures

Pitzer and Nex and Victoria Meat Market Score Shut-out Victories

Pitzer and Nex and Victoria Meat Market soccer eleven's came through with decisive victories in Saanich and District Football League matches played yesterday afternoon.

Playing a superior brand of soccer, Pitzer and Nex secured a one-goal lead in the first half and added three more in the final session, to win handsomely.

Presentations were made to Stobbs in behalf of both his teammates and St. Saviour's club during half-time.

Standings follow: Mls. Lps. Pts. Waltham-Crossley ... 213 8 68 Peden-Thomas ... 213 8 28 Kilian-Vopel ... 213 7 54 Letourner-Guibertiere ... 213 7 17 Bellens-Schon ... 213 6 37 Ignat-Dolt ... 213 6 32 Audy-Hill ... 213 6 25 A. Georgetti-Yaccino ... 213 4 25 Yates-Rodman ... 213 3 19 Olmo-Piemontesi ... 213 3 17 Cohen-O'Brien ... 213 2 27 F. Georgetti-Debaets ... 213 0 11 Rebol-Querra ... 212 8 13

Dominoes Taste Initial Defeat

Field Hockey Elevens Draw

Vancouver Island and Vancouver were all square in their campaign for the O. B. Allan Cup, emblematic of provincial field hockey honors, today yesterday.

The teams will meet again in Vancouver during the Easter vacation to decide which side will hold the award.

Scoreless through the first half, the Islanders broke into the lead well on in the second period when Desmond Crofton worked his way through to score their lone point.

PORTLAND IN ICE VICTORY

Invade Oakland and Blank Clippers 3 to 0 in Coast League Game

Oakland, Cal., Nov. 30.—The Portland Buckaroos outplayed and outchecked Oakland's Clippers Saturday night to win a Pacific Coast ice hockey fixture 3 to 0.

Portland scored one goal in each of the three periods, while holding Oakland behind the offensive zone.

The back-checking of the Buckaroos so far outclassed their opponents that the victory was never in doubt.

Young Don Sutherland, rookie defenseman last year, scored first for Portland after about six minutes of play.

Big Seven of Major Hockey Dave "Sweeney" Schirmer, the goal-getting wingman of New York Americans, fired three goals during the week-end and took undisputed possession of the National Hockey League scoring race.

Schirmer, Americans ... 7 4 11 Metz, Toronto ... 5 5 10 Gracie, Maroons ... 2 7 9 Chapman, Americans ... 0 9 9 Gagnon, Canadiens ... 6 2 8 M. Colville, Rangers ... 5 2 7

Barnett In Fine Stand

Brisbane, Australia, Nov. 30.—Charles Barnett, hard-hitting Gloucestershire player, made sure of a place on England's team to meet Australia in the first cricket test match starting Friday when he hit up 259 runs out of M.C.C.'s second innings' total of 453 for three wickets against Queensland today.

With seven wickets to fall, the touring team is 425 runs ahead. The match concludes tomorrow.

Beaten 19 to 16 By Alpine Dairy Cagers From Seattle After Close Exhibition Game; Kingham-Gillespie Win Over Regents 29 to 23

Victoria Dominoes, former holders of Canadian basketball honors, tasted defeat for the first time this season at the High School gym Saturday night.

Much to the enjoyment of the fans who packed the gym, play roughened up in the last half, and on one occasion a fistfight was staged between Mottishaw of the Dominoes and Frederick, Seattle guard.

A line shot and a basket by Art Chapman made up the local upset, setting a quota of the half.

With eight minutes of play left the Dominoes managed to get their first impression of the scoreboard of points of this half.

As the second half opened both squads tightened up on their defense lines, and as a result players were compelled to shoot from outside.

The first ten minutes saw only three points scored up, these by Seattle, on Estep's basket and Werner's line throw.

With eight minutes of play left the Dominoes managed to get their first impression of the scoreboard of points of this half.

Then Bill Murphy, who was in an argumentative mood did too much "chin-wagging" at Referee Macdonald. This cost him a technical foul, which Chuck Chapman sank. Only one point separated the teams.

Play popped up after this. The players got rough. Estep intercepted one of Chuck Chapman's clearance passes near the Dominoes basket.

He scurried in to score easily. For some time here shots fell thick and fast on the backboards. None were true. With two minutes left to play Estep scored on a set-up and Taylor

pair put on 295 runs for the first wicket in less than four hours, a record for M.C.C. teams against Queensland. On a wicket that slightly favored spin bowling, Barnett lashed out, making most of his runs with flashing off drives and square cuts.

Hitting at the rate of almost a run a minute the Gloucester man knocked out two sixes and thirty-nine fours. Fagg's strokes included thirteen fours. Barnett's double century far exceeded the best previous individual innings by an M.C.C. player against Queensland. Until today Pat Henderson, Middlesex star, held the honor with 168 runs scored in the 1924-25 season.

Lone Point Margin Gives J.B.A.A. First Half Rugby Honors

Fleming's Field Goal Beats Navy In Deciding Game

Rowing Club Wins 4 to 3 in Match Featured By Sailors' Forward Attacks

Wanderers Down Young Gunners

The Navy senior rugby fifteen's hopes of first half Barnard Cup honors this season were dashed by one point Saturday afternoon, when they were outplayed by the James Bay Athletic Association ruggers on a drop field goal in the second half. The Bays won the crucial match of the series 4 to 3.

To all accounts the best game of those played in the local loop this season, the match was marked by few fumbles, some fine kicking and generally all-round good play in every department of the game.

The Bays, fresh from their fine passing game last Saturday against a picked Vancouver Rowing Club and Occasional team, showed their backfield off to good advantage against the Navy in the week-end clash. On the other hand, the sailors were on the ball every minute of the game and carried their part of the play with a superior forward pack, both in the loose and in the scrum. The Navy had the better of the play in the first half but the J.B.A.A. boys had the edge in the second period.

PLAY WELL

Robinson and McInnes turned in their usual steady performances in their respective fullback positions, while Fleming, tricky Bays' three-quarter, took star honors in the day's play with his well-timed drop goal early in the second half.

The odds balanced fairly evenly as the two fifteenes stepped on the field at the start of the game, but jumped in the Navy's favor when the interval came.

Gaining twenty-five yards on the kick-off, the sailors swept into the rowing club territory in a high-geared forward rush that kept the play on the danger side of the halfway mark for several minutes. The first minute rush was broken before the Navy could get within scoring distance, however, and the Bays went up on a kick to touch.

The rowing club men had their first scoring chances on two subsequent free kicks, which both turned wide off the usually capable boot of Roddy McInnes. After that it was the Navy's play and the sailors took matters in hand for the remainder of the half with some unspectacular but steady forward play.

NAVY SCORES

Well on in the first half the sailors pushed back to the Bays' goal line, where they bottled up the rowing club men. Kept in the same position on three scrums near the goal line on the right wing, the blueshirts could do little but cover the sailors' moves and, as it appeared to be forthcoming sooner or later, on the fourth scrum down, the Navy pushed over. Corbin fell on the loose ball for the first score. The kick failed.

From the time of the Navy's try to the interval, the sailors had the best of the territorial play. Flashes of champion form in both backfields added to the spectators' interest.

BOXING!

10-ROUNDS-10

ALBIE DAVIES (Victoria) vs. DUSTY JONES (Seattle)

6-ROUNDS-6

FRANKIE NEEL (Esquimalt) vs. DUD MILLER (Alberni)

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DUD MILLER

hard-hitting scrapper from Alberni who will engage Frankie Neel, local fighter, in the six-round semi-windup of the boxing card to be presented by the Esquimalt Athletic Association on Thursday night. Miller is already in town and will train with the other boys at the association hall tonight, starting at 7 o'clock.

KENT VICTOR OVER BOESCH

Secures Referee's Decision After Clever Wrestling Tilt at Tillicum Gyrh

While in other coast cities the mysterious Red Shadow is providing plenty of blood and thunder for packed houses, Victoria fans for the last few weeks have had the pleasure of witnessing some of the cleverest exhibitions on record.

Or at least, that was the impression arrived at Saturday night, when they sat wide-eyed and breathless watching with keen interest the earnest struggle for supremacy between Harry Kent, Portland, and Paul "Bombshell" Boesch, Long Beach exponent, in the top bout on the double-main event on the wrestling card at the Tillicum gym. Kent was given the referee's decision over his opponent for aggressiveness, after each had secured a fall.

It was a great battle, with both lads fighting clean but with deadly intent. Kent got the first fall in the fourth round with a series of flying tackles and a body press. Boesch, using his favorite, the drop kick, evened matters early in the fifth round. In the final round the "Bombshell" muffed on an intended drop kick, and in falling to the canvas wrenched his back. In spite of this he refused to quit and even frustrated Kent's efforts to pin him. The Portland youth, however, took the match on the referee's decision. Kent weighed 220 pounds, Boesch, five less.

RUSSELL WINNER

Rebel Russell, game Chicago youngster, was victor over "Bull" Martin, New Jersey, by the bed-fall in the second portion of the double attraction. Russell got his falls in the fourth and fifth rounds, the second on a roll. Martin got his in the third with a body press. This match was rough.

A one-fall draw was the result of the special bout which brought together Louie Newman, Victoria, and "Babe" Smalinski, Portland. Newman gained the opening fall in the fourth round. Smalinski took his in the fifth.

George Lowe and "Legs" Hay, local bone benders, put on a good show for the preliminary. The result was a one-fall decision for Lowe.

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Victoria West In Seventh Victory

Defeat Saanich Thistles 3 to 0 to Keep Undefeated Record in First Division Soccer; Victoria City Whip Weakened Esquimalt 2 to 1

Driving through for three goals in the second half after a scoreless opening session, Victoria West blanked Saanich Thistles 3 to 0 at the Athletic Park on Saturday afternoon, for their seventh straight victory in the first division of the Victoria and District Football League. The second match of the day saw second place Victoria City nose out Esquimalt 2 to 1 at Heywood Avenue.

The results left the Wests still holding a six-point margin at the head of the league.

Switching their line-up in the second half the Wests finally got their offensive working, although their opening goal was a gift and the third one came as the result of a penalty kick.

Wests opened the game without the services of Scotty Robinson on the forward line and Ernie Lorandini at right half. The greenshirts got in the opening shot when Bell sent in a low drive from the right wing that goalie Chalmers scooped up and booted clear. Barnes took a pass from Morgan, but his weak shot on an open goal was easily handled by Chalmers. Continuing the pressure, Stewart drove over the bar. Bell broke away on the right wing on a pass from Okell but Chalmers rushed out of his net and deflected the right winger's shot for the open net. The

Thistles came close twice on beautiful free kicks by George Leggett, centre-half. Twice the Saanich centre-half forced goalie Restall to push his head-on drives over the bar. Just before the interval Restall made a nice clearance of a shot by Gar Robbins from well out.

With the opening of the second half Lorandini went to right half for the Wests and Okell moved up to inside left. Barnes was taken out of the line-up. The Thistles put on a better show than in the first half, but the Wests kept on the offensive. Stewart made it 2 to 0 when he beat Chalmers with a beautiful first timer on a cross by Morgan. The Wests got their third goal when Leggett and Gent were pulled up for sandwiching Okell in the penalty area. Bell scored from the spot with a low drive.

For the last few minutes of play the Thistles put on Joe Crowe for Miles but the substitution made little difference and there was no change in the score.

Scotty McKay refereed. The teams follow: Saanich Thistles—Chalmers, Stoffer, Harper, Gent, Leggett, Spiller, McLean, Gar Robbins, Sage, K. Gent, Myles, Essler and Crowe. Victoria West—Restall, Sweeper, B. Bell, Lorandini, Barnes, H. Sage, O. Bell, Stewart, Watt, Okell, G. Barnes and Morgan.

CITY IN VICTORY

Forced to play the entire match

with only ten men Esquimalt put up a game fight against the City in the match at Heywood Avenue. Despite their handicap the dockers had an even share of the play and the City were forced to work hard for their victory.

The match had only been in progress about ten minutes when the red-shirted City players took the lead. Grabbing the ball off full-back Joe Watt in front of the goal George Payne beat goalie DeCosta. Play swung sharply from end to end with

both back divisions being called upon to break up dangerous attacks. Ten minutes later Esquimalt got back onto even terms Hesse smashing a shot past goalie Rowe. Not satisfied the dockers continued to hold (Turn to Page 20, Col. 4)

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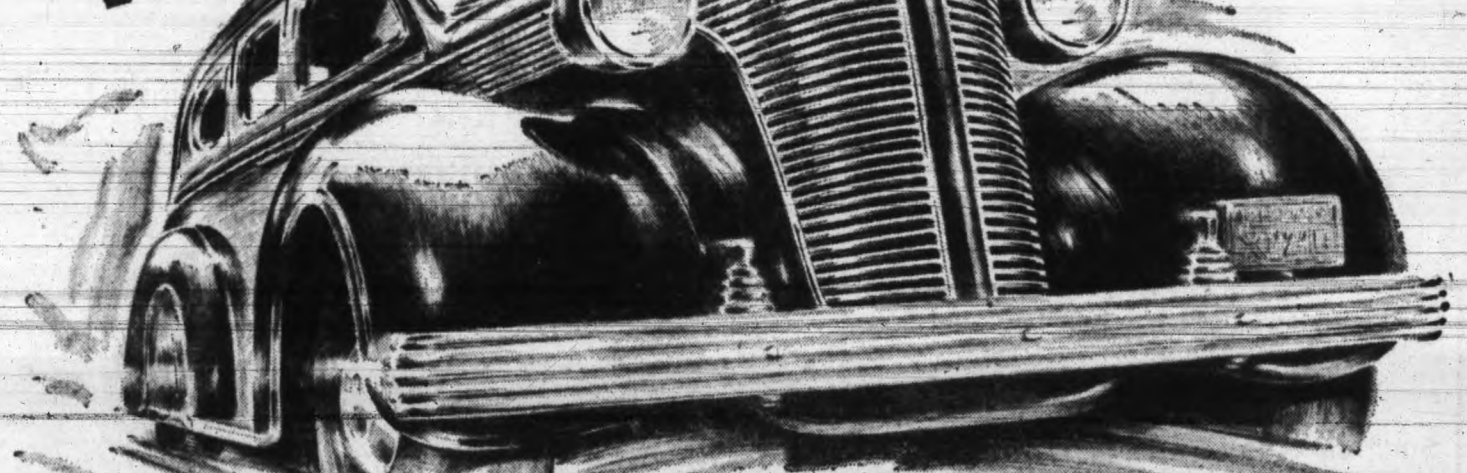
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Second race—Six furlongs: Mucker 110, Poly Racer 102, Pat W. 114, C. lue 106, Grisons 105, Lady Waite 107, Polvos Pride 108, Quick Dora 111, Ogee 114, Flag Time 110, Civil War 114, Hi Hun 111.

Third race—Six furlongs: Iron Mountain 110, Lady Tichner 109, Miss Balko 107, Handle Cross 112, Happy Dinah 109, Phonologist 107, Jalpur 115, Proud Indian 115, Carbon Copy 109, Shasta Rocket 112, Boomtown 108, Highest 106.

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master 109, Great Lover 106, Paradun 106, Brustigert 112, Board Trade 109.

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Sixth race—One mile and one-sixteenth: Barbara A. 107, Distribute 109, Gold Water 116, Uncle Less 108, McCarthy 108.

Seventh race—One mile and a sixteenth: Old Nick 111, Mathieson 109, Sir Satin 107, Puako 113, Obstreperous 100, Broadway Roxy 110, Scotia's Flag 110, Brilliant Queen 101, May Roam 101, Crittise 102.

Eighth race—One mile and three-sixteenths: Speckle 113, Balancer 111, Swifter 111, Judge Luaders 113, Platurica 106, Star Brook 113, Mitigator 111, Patch Eye 108, Least Kelly 111, His Own 116, Crookin 110, Daude 113.

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Obituary

GEORGE C. KYLE
Many friends attended the last rites held over the remains of George C. Kyle Saturday afternoon. Rev. Thomas Keyworth officiating. The hymns "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" and "Rock of Ages" were sung. The following were the pallbearers: J. A. Heritage, Alex MacDonald, H. Rose, W. Gardner, G. A. Gardner and D. H. Meyer. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GEORGE SPAYFORD
The funeral of George Spayford took place Saturday afternoon. Rev. Thomas Keyworth officiating. The hymn "Abide With Me" was sung. Interment was in Colwood Burial Park. H. C. Watts, F. Clanton, M. Clanton and D. Lawrence were the pallbearers.

JOHN B. BEVERIDGE
Many former Brandon residents will regret to learn of the death in that city recently of John B. Beveridge, well-known educationist and accountant, aged eighty-five years. For some years he was head of the commercial department of Brandon College and later was for seventeen years secretary of the Brandon School Board. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. J. J. Castell and Miss Helen Beveridge.

FRANCES DREWITT
There passed away Sunday afternoon at 857 McClure Street, Frances Drewitt, at the age of seventy-three years. Born at Darwin, Lancashire, England, Mrs. Drewitt moved to this city twenty-four years ago from Hamilton, Ontario. She leaves four daughters, Mrs. W. Elder, Cedar Hill Cross Road; Mrs. T. C. Brown, Belmont Avenue; Mrs. George Healey and Mrs. Fred C. Hill, Hamilton, Ontario; also two sons, Walter in Vancouver and Harry at Hamilton, Ont.

The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Announcement of the funeral will be made later.

ALBERT BEAVERIDGE
Yesterday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Albert Beaveridge, of 1026 North Park Street, passed away, aged seventy-four years. He was born in Inverness, Scotland; and had resided in Canada for twenty-five years, moving to this city seven years ago. He was a member of the Canadian Intelligence Service and Department of Records, Regina, during the Great War, and a member of the Canadian Legion, Victoria.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. R. D. Brouseau, Minneapolis, and four sons, Albert and Aubrey, in this city, Stanley, at Edmonton, and Horace, in Vancouver.

The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home pending funeral arrangements, which will be announced later.

Five persons who pleaded guilty to charges of speeding in school zones were each fined \$10 in the City Police Court this morning.

Travelers in Victoria today en route to the Antipodes include Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blundell, who will sail by the Niagara for Auckland. They are at the Empress Hotel.

The Foul Bay group in connection with the Oxford group movement will meet on Tuesday evening at the home of Tom Daisell, 435 Richmond Road, at 8:15 o'clock. All men interested are invited to attend.

MORE ENTER CIVIC FIELD

Alderman Archie Wills Will Seek Re-election; W. H. Davies to Run

The mounting list of aldermanic candidates for the five two-year terms rose to thirteen today with the announcement by Alderman Archie Wills that he would seek re-election and the definite statement by W. H. Davies that he would stand for office for the City Council.

Alderman Hunter, Alderman Wills and Alderman James Adam are the only three of the five whose terms expired who will stand for re-election. Alderman Andrew McGavin is seeking the mayor's chair and Alderman Walter Loney has withdrawn from the race.

ACTIVE COMMITTEE WORKER
Alderman Wills is completing his first term on the council. He has served on several standing committees and his sponsorship of two movements within the council resulted in two new committees being named.

Alderman Wills advocated an early study by the City Council of the franchise of the B.C. Electric Railway Company. His plan was accepted by the council after being turned down once and Mayor Leeming named him chairman of the committee, which has done considerable investigation.

Ald. Wills was also named chairman of the Greater Victoria Committee following his suggestion that a study of this question be made. The efforts of this committee have resulted in Victoria and the three adjoining municipalities setting up inter-municipal committees which meet monthly and consider questions of common interest.

DAVIES PLATFORM
Mr. Davies supports council activity to interest more home-owners in the Dominion Home Renovation scheme, which he believes, would improve property and check the tide of reversions.

He advocates meetings with business men, merchants and agencies to discuss methods of halting the flow of home-owners from the city to out-lying municipalities and supports a campaign to put reverted property back on to the tax lists.

He is inclined to favor a policy which would permit departmental heads to conduct a greater share of the city's business, with the aldermen acting in the form of a business directorate, which, he believes, might result eventually in the reduction of the number of aldermen.

Mr. Davies supports a civic beautification scheme and suggests programmes of entertainment aimed to keep visitors in the city for longer periods.

In matters financial, he believes there should be more co-operation with provincial experts on the city's affairs.

Such questions as those affecting the ratepayers' pockets, he contends, should be submitted to referendums.

RABBIT SHOW OPENS TODAY
Mrs. Bayles Leads in Early Results; Entries Total 178

The thirteenth annual winter show of the British Columbia Rabbit Breeders' Association opened today with 178 entries in hutches behind the Main Building at the Willows.

Judging began at noon and early results showed Mrs. D. Bayles leading in points. Mrs. S. M. Gregory had the best Angora in the show, while Mrs. Bayles took the Green-wood Challenge Cup for the best pair of Angoras.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Joseph Lennox was fined \$30, with an option of one month's imprisonment, when he pleaded guilty in the city police court this morning to a charge of indecent exposure.

Jameson Motors, Broughton Street, was entered by thieves over the weekend, according to a city police report. Entrance was gained through a rear window, but nothing was reported stolen.

Mrs. W. E. Stevenson will give the concluding talk of the personality course at the Y.W.C.A. tonight at 8 o'clock. Her subject will be "The Life Beautiful." All senior Victoria girls are welcome.

The annual Christmas bazaar of the Ladies' Aid of James Bay United Church will be held in the church, Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The sale will be opened by Rev. W. R. Brown.

The first meeting of the newly-formed Gorge district C.C.P. Club will be held in Alex Hall, corner Burnside and Wascana Streets, at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening. All interested are cordially invited to attend. Election of officers will take place.

The Canadian National Railways are not disposed to provide a pathway between the shore and the Ogden Point breakwater, a letter received by the city today indicated. The council has requested an improved access to the breakwater, which is used by a large number of citizens as a promenade.

The Victoria Horticultural Society will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow night, at the City Hall, at 8 o'clock. E. W. White, District Horticulturist, will give a demonstration on "Practical Pruning." As this is a very timely topic, an invitation to anyone interested is extended by the society.

The sum of \$170 was taken in at the annual tag day held Saturday in aid of the boys' work of the Y.M.C.A. The proceeds will be used to offset the deficit incurred in boys' work. Headed by Vivian Shoemaker, the committee Saturday night, expressed its thanks to the public who supported the tag day so well and also the taggers who volunteered their services.

Transferred from Hamilton Field, California, to Washington, D.C., Col. C. L. Tinker of the United States Air Force is at the Empress Hotel today with Mrs. Tinker. They are traveling through Canada en route east. Col. Tinker has been in charge of the bomber section at Hamilton Field, just north of San Francisco.

On arrival at Washington he will assume charge of the National Guard air unit.

Members of the Victoria Short Wave Clubs were guests Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Tate, Kerr Avenue, where a social evening was enjoyed. The club decided to accept the offer of an amateur Vancouver short wave publication to write the first page in its January issue. The next business meeting will be held Tuesday, December 8, at the home of the president, E. K. Turner. A meeting originally scheduled for December 26 has been cancelled.

The Vancouver Island district headquarters of the B.C. Social Credit League held a well-attended committee meeting on Friday at their headquarters, 224 Pemberton Building. The chief business dealt with was the election of a director of organization for the whole island to replace C. Keeping, whose resignation had been accepted at the last committee meeting held on October 13. B. C. Moore, 441 Vancouver Street, was unanimously elected to the post. Mr. Moore will take up his duties at 224 Pemberton Building at once.

Commander J. E. W. Oland, R.C.N., was guest at a smoking concert at the Army and Navy Veterans on Saturday night last, when an attractive programme was presented. J. S. Scarfe, president, welcomed him to the club and Commander Oland gave an informal talk. Those taking part in the programme included Joe Dobbin in character singing; H. Watson, P. O. Patterson, song and sailor's hornpipe; L. V. A. Frere, monologue; P. O. Nuttall, tap dancing; Geo. Gardiner, flute solo; A. B. Smith, songs. The R.A.O.B. band rendered selections.

Three persons suffered minor injuries which necessitated hospital attention in an accident at Superior and Government Streets yesterday evening, according to a city police report. They were Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Alexander, 1151 St. David Street, and Mrs. Andrew Alexander, 442 Superior Street. According to the report Mr. Alexander was driving west on Superior Street when his car was in collision with a machine driven north on Government Street by H. M. McGivern. After the impact the Alexander car jumped the curb and struck a tree. The injured persons were taken to St. Joseph's Hospital and attended by Dr. T. Miller.

An enjoyable smoking concert under the auspices of the Victoria Quilting Club was held in the K. of P. Hall Saturday evening. S. Watt, veteran member of the club, was in the chair and the arrangements were in the capable hands of J. Leiper, T. Scouler and P. Taylor, members of the social committee. Cups and prizes won by the various players during the season were presented. Songs were sung by J. McMillan Sr., T. Scouler, T. Alexander, M. McCall, S. Watt, A. Marshall, G. Allen, D. McMillan, J. Nay-smith, A. Williamson, R. Noble and Scotty Allen; bagpipe selections by J. McMillan Jr., piano selections by J. Woods, accordion selections by J. McDonald, and mouthorgan selections by R. Williams. A cup donated by Scotty Allen was presented to the club during the evening.

ARGUMENT ON BY-LAW ENDS

Counsel Complete Cases on Validity of Soliciting Legislation

Further argument on the validity of the city's soliciting legislation by-law was concluded before Magistrate Henry Hall in the City Police Court this morning. Stuart Henderson, appearing for Arthur Buller, is opposing the measure on the grounds it is beyond the city's powers of jurisdiction, while C. L. Harrison, prosecutor, presented arguments for its validity.

Mr. Henderson called Captain George Kirkendale, harbor master, who testified he had agreed to permit Buller to use the harbor to advertise sightseeing drives to incoming passengers, from a small speedboat in the harbor.

In his argument Mr. Henderson contended the harbormaster was the one who had jurisdiction over the harbor and the city had no power to legislate over it since the harbormaster exercised his control as an agent of the federal government.

CRIMINAL OFFENCE
In defining the duties of the harbormaster, the Canada Shipping Act stated that any prosecutions should be launched by him on instructions from Ottawa, Mr. Henderson continued.

He dealt at length with city boundaries as outlined in statutes up to the time of Confederation. In the appeal this year on the by-law, Alexis Martin, counsel for the appellant, had made his appeal on points which he was not raising. Mr. Henderson said, Mr. Martin had not questioned the provincial jurisdiction "but we do," he said. Further, he did not admit the harbor was within the geographical limits of the city of Victoria.

He also objected to the by-law using the words "beaches, waters and foreshore of Victoria Harbor" in setting-out the boundaries.

PRESENTATION TO MINISTER
Rev. A. M. Acheson-Lyle Honored By Ministerial Association

Rev. A. M. Acheson-Lyle, vicar of Langford and Colwood churches, who for several years has been actively connected with the Victoria Ministerial Association, was honored with a presentation from the association at a meeting in the Y.W.C.A. this morning.

The occasion was Mr. Acheson-Lyle's departure for England where he will take up his work in an English parish.

The presentation was made by Rev. E. F. Church, who spoke in glowing terms of Mr. Acheson-Lyle's work as secretary of the association and the time he had devoted to this post. He wished the recipient bon voyage and good health.

The presentation was a handsome pair of hand-carved book-ends. Marking his final appearance with the association, Mr. Acheson-Lyle gave a brief account of his trip to Vimy on the Vimy Pilgrimage. It was announced at the meeting that Dean Armitage of Vancouver would be in Victoria early in January to lead the week of witness here.

IOWA COACH IS WORRIED
Ossie Solem Plans to Pit Team Against Washington Next Fall

Ossie M. Solem, coach of the University of Iowa football squad, who came out to the coast to see how the University of Washington boys shaped

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The death occurred on Saturday afternoon of Rev. Mother Mary Francis Louise, Abbess of the Monastery of Poor Clare nuns at the Willows. Mother Francis Louise left a distinguished business career in New York City to enter the convent twenty years ago and was well known to a wide circle in the eastern United States. After being a member of the community for a short time she was elected abbess and has been largely responsible for the development of the community. She secured the enlargement of the monastery buildings and saw a steady growth in the number of sisters. She was a lady of great executive ability, while her kindly and sympathetic nature endeared her to the members of the Catholic church in the city. Her loss will be widely mourned.

The funeral will be held in the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes at the Willows tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. This evening at 8 o'clock prayers will be said for the repose of her soul in the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes at the Willows.

Bank clearings for the month of November this year show a slight drop over the corresponding period last year. This year's November clearings totaled \$7,098,130, while last year's totaled \$7,125,454.

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HORIZONTAL

1. 6 Pictured 49. Sun god. first — to 11 Soft good.

aviatrix. 51. Right. 12 To touch.

11 Church benches. 52 To shout. 17 Tennis stroke.

12 Conscious. 53 Touched with 17 Female deer.

13 Verbal. 54 Blister herb. 20 To chatter.

14 Eat. 55 Blister herb. 21 Artist's

17 Eating spar- 56 Took oath. 22 Sheep.

ingly. 58 She won a. 23 Unit.

19 Stream. — trans- 7 Fowls. 27 Musical note.

20 Father. continental 8 To accomplish. 28 Preposition.

21 Turf. air race. 9 To sin. 30 Dover

22 To undermine. 60 She was the 10 Spiked. property.

24 Pound. 31 Line. 22 Verbal forms.

25 To carry. 27 Meadow. 33 Final.

29 To augur. 32 To test for 35 Boat part.

31 Bill of fare. 33 To test for 37 Dress.

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Racing Results

San Mateo, Calif., Nov. 30.—Results of

horse racing here Saturday follow:

First race—One mile

Fanton (Adams) \$289.50 \$162.40 \$34.60

Behemoth (Roungarten) \$40 4.40

Prince Pharoah (Burns) 10.00

Time, 1:39 1-5. Also ran: Release, Prince

John, Belles Last, Precisely, Lou Machado,

My Regards, Monks First and Lampan.

Second race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Artful Shot (Jones) \$40 20 \$11.00 \$3.00

Can He (Adams) \$30 2.50

Maxwell M. (Gray) 3.60

Time, 1:46 1-5. Also ran: Warner True,

Lobitos, Sals and Young Conard.

Third race—One mile:

Elk River (Thompson) \$40.00 \$4.20 \$12.00

Fachina (Richardson) \$30 3.80

Sir Roder (Smith) 6.20

Time, 1:38 4-5. Also ran: Chatterly,

Dodie, Harry Richman, White Bread, Biddy,

Toy, Tumble, Boverly and Glad Santa.

Fourth race—One mile:

Astrocheck (Roungarten) \$20 \$4.40 \$3.40

Sassatras (Adams) \$30 4.00

Brilliant Queen (B. Neal) 3.20

Time, 1:38. Also ran: Cold Wave, Broad

Royal, Golden X, Lady Edith, The Trainer,

Lovers Chat and Biggie Boy.

Fifth race—One mile:

Onus (James) \$15.40 \$6.50 \$5.40

Guaranty (Gray) \$30 2.50

Stolen Color (Nolan) 15.00

Time, 1:56 2-5. Also ran: Upholder,

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Lake Vessels Coated in Ice

Canadian Press.

Port Arthur, Ont., Nov. 30.—Their bows and cabin sides coated with two inches of ice, the Canada Steamships Line freighter, Colquhoun, and the Es. Noronic docked yesterday to discharge heavy loads of package freight preparatory to making their last trip down the lakes this season.

No damage was reported on either boat, but the thick ice on all equipment showed the vessels had taken a battering from the waves.

Twenty-nine hours were required for the Colquhoun's trip from Whitefish to Passage Island, a usual run of seventeen hours. The captain reported blue water frequently came over the prow of his vessel when the wind was at its height.

The Noronic's delay was due to heavy ice in the Soo River. Both will load immediately and return to the east before tying up.

Pilots' Lookout

Empress of Asia, arrived Victoria, from Vancouver, Saturday, 4 p.m.; sailed for Yokohama, 5:30 p.m.

Induna, passed Victoria, bound Sydney, from Vancouver, Sunday, 3:30 p.m.

Mount Atlas, docked Victoria, to load lumber, from Union Bay, 6:30 a.m.

Tilthorn, passed Victoria, bound Vancouver, 7:30 a.m.

Sibonina, passed Victoria, bound Vancouver, 9 a.m.

Ell, passed Victoria, bound Vancouver, 1 p.m.

Nichio Maru, due Race Rocks, bound Vancouver, 4 p.m.

Hayo Maru, due Race Rocks, bound Vancouver, 5 p.m.

San Antonio, discharging cargo at Rithet piers.

Buelah, loading cargo at Rithet piers.

Empress of Canada, due William Head, bound Victoria, from Orient ports and Honolulu, Wednesday, 6 a.m.

Niagara, to sail from Victoria for Honolulu, Suva, Auckland and Sydney, Wednesday, p.m.

THE SPORTS MIRROR

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California, Haggin moved his stock to Kentucky.

Today the places of imported Dares, bin, Sir Modred, and Norfolk are being filled by the former Edward Riley Bradley star, Boxthorn, son of Blue Larkspur, and Ladyman, once conqueror of Equipoise. From Germany has come Normande to stand in Oregon, where he is within easy reach of California clients.

Ferns, plants which have no flowers, make up a large part of the vegetable kingdom.

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Seamen Honored at Cathedral Service

Newsy Briefs of Land Sea and Air

San Francisco, Nov. 30.—The Matson liner Monterey, first ship to reach here from Hawaii in more than ten days, docked here Saturday with 477 passengers from the islands.

Pickets estimated by police at 200 stood about the pier as the Monterey was warped into her dock. There was no disorder.

Matson officials said there would be no immediate attempt to unload the 2,000 tons of cargo.

VESSEL UNREPORTED
Halifax, Nov. 30.—North Atlantic shipping lanes, tossed and churned by many storms during the past month, held secret today reports of the progress of three overdue west-bound freighters.

Hope was for safety of the Norwegian freighters Stranna now thirty-four days out from Glasgow, Scotland, en route to Halifax with a cargo of coal. The 1,547-ton vessel with her crew of fifteen has been unreported since she sailed out of Glasgow.

"AIR UNIVERSITY"
Canberra, Australia, Nov. 30.—Proposals are being discussed here for establishment of a "university of the air" to provide systematic training of a regular supply of pilots for internal air lines and as reserves for air defence forces.

The proposals were co-incident with Australian government announcement that it intended to put into operation in 1937 a fleet of multi-engine monoplanes for passenger and mail service between the seven Australian capitals. Capital expenditure for the scheme has been estimated at \$1,000,000 and annual cost at \$700,000.

HEAVY LOSS
Seattle, Nov. 30.—A loss of \$2,000,000 in payrolls and sales during the first three weeks of the U.S. Pacific Coast maritime strike was reported last Saturday by 202 Washington and Oregon mills to the West Coast Lumbermen's Association.

By last Saturday, the association said, forty timber mills were closed and many others had been forced to curtail operations. About 10,000 employees were out of work and 8,000 others working short weeks.

Production rose 3,000,000 board feet because of heavy rail orders.

Of the \$2,000,000 loss to the lumber industry during the first three weeks of the strike, payroll losses were \$1,388,000, the rest being in sales.

KILLED IN PLANE
Menlo Park, Calif., Nov. 30 (Associated Press).—Army authorities investigated an airplane crash today in which A. S. Gregory, forty, reserve officer, was killed here.

Gregory, copy reader for a San Francisco newspaper, perished in flames which broke out as the plane struck in a vacant lot after barely missing nearby homes yesterday.

Insane Man On Ship Treated

Associated Press

Boston, Nov. 30.—The marine hospital here wirelessly instructed yesterday for treatment of a "violently insane" man aboard the transatlantic freighter, Independence Hall, ninety-five miles east of Nantucket.

Serving as a relay station for messages between the New York-bound ship and doctors at the hospital, coastguard headquarters said "McKenzie, master" of the Independence Hall reported a twenty-seven-year-old man insane late Saturday night "so violently that we had to tie him up."

Identity of the man and his position aboard the ship were not mentioned in the dispatches.

The doctors listed several kinds of medicine and sedatives, asked if they were included in the ship's medicine chest, suggested the man be put in a hot bath and kept there under observation for twelve hours.

The ship was expected to put in at New York late this evening.

TOWELS AS YULE GIFTS

Towels make ideal Christmas gifts. Get them in packaged sets and have them initialed or monogrammed. It is a good idea to give each member of the family a set of his own, in a color that harmonizes with the general color scheme of the bathroom.

Many Present at Christ Church When Flag Is Presented For Safekeeping; Rev. J. W. Leighton Preaches Eloquent Sermon

Seamen of the Port of Victoria, who "crossed the bar" during the last year were remembered at the first annual service for seafarers, held yesterday evening in Christ Church Cathedral.

Veteran seafarers of Victoria and their families and friends attended the service to pay tribute to their comrades who have gone.

At the commencement of the service a houseful of the old Canadian Pacific Navigation Company was presented to the cathedral for safekeeping. It was flown at sea a few weeks ago from the Ss. Salvage Queen, at one time a unit of the C.P.N. fleet.

The flag was presented to Rev. E. O. Robathan and rested on the High Altar during the service. This morning it was hung beside the C.P.N. houseflag, which was flown at sea this summer from the Ss. Princess Marguerite.

FLAG'S ESCORT

The flag was presented by Capt. A. Macdonald, and was escorted to the altar by J. A. Heritage, retired chief engineer of the Ss. Princess Marguerite, Capt. D. J. Butler, well-known pioneer seafarer, and Major F. V. Longstaff, vestry clerk of the cathedral, who made arrangements for the service, which followed along the lines of the one held annually in St. Paul's Cathedral, London.

Capt. Macdonald presented the flag on behalf of the Thermopylae Ship Company and in receiving it Mr. Robathan said, "With others it will find an honored place in this building, and will ever serve to remind us of the labors of those who occupy their business in great waters."

NAMES REMEMBERED

Specially remembered at the services, their names having been read from the Sanctuary, were Frederick N. Adam, chief engineer, B.C. Coast Service; John Anderson, master mariner, Canadian Merchant Service Guild; Benjamin Ashorn, quartermaster, Thermopylae; Thomas H. Bell, first officer, B.C. Coast Service; M. S. Cutler, master mariner, C.P.N.; John W. Noble, able seaman, C.P.N.; Nicholas O'Toole, oiler, C.P.N.; James Pettigrew, chief engineer, C.P.N.; Quindell W. R. Sayer, officers' steward, R.C.N.; and J. B. Singleton, master mariner, C.P.N.

Prayers were said for Rev. P. W. Weaver, who with his wife is going to Shanghai next month to become chaplain there to the Mission for Seamen.

Rev. J. W. Leighton, chaplain to the Missions to Seamen at Vancouver, preached an excellent sermon of inspiration to active seafarers and of comfort to those relatives of seamen who had passed away during the year.

He expressed hope the service would become an annual one.

PRaises THE TRAMP

While he had praise for seamen of all ships, he had particular praise for the crews of tramp vessels.

"Where would we be without the tramp?" he asked. "Your ocean liner may carry your orders, but it is the tramp that carries your logs and your lumber and grain."

He referred to the little home life that so many seamen have. One man he was talking to recently said he had been home for only seventeen hours in more than two years.

"A life spent at sea is a life wasted," another seaman had told him.

"Can you wonder if sometimes, especially on Christmas Day, the seaman has bitter thoughts and expresses them in bitter words," he said.

"But seamen must not reckon in terms of themselves," Mr. Leighton said.

In his sermon, the speaker told of some of the dangers of life at sea and asked for the prayers of all for the safety of seafarers.

Says Officials "Canoe-minded"

Vancouver, Nov. 29.—The ports of Vancouver and New Westminster and the Fraser River as far inland as Hope, a distance of 100 miles, should all be under one authority in the opinion of Mayor G. A. McGeer.

"I cannot think of anything more detrimental to the development of our port and our foreign trade than to have our ports controlled by canoe-minded men in Ottawa," Mayor McGeer said in addressing the foreign trade bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade.

He advocated a completely local authority with representation of business and shipping interests included, as is done by the Port of London authority.

"But unfortunately for us, our government is housed at Ottawa, miles from the Atlantic and thousands of miles from the Pacific, and most of the fellows there are canoe-minded," he said.

Spoken By Wireless

November 29, 8 p.m.—Shipping: EMPRESS OF ASIA, Victoria to Yokohama 480 miles from Victoria.

EMPRESS OF CANADA, Yokohama to Victoria, via Honolulu, 1,205 miles from Victoria.

NANAIMO MARU, bound Vancouver, 1,600 miles from Etevan.

TALITHYBIUS, Vancouver to Yokohama, 152 miles from Etevan.

November 30, 12 noon.—Weather: Etevan—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.32; 42; sea, light swell.

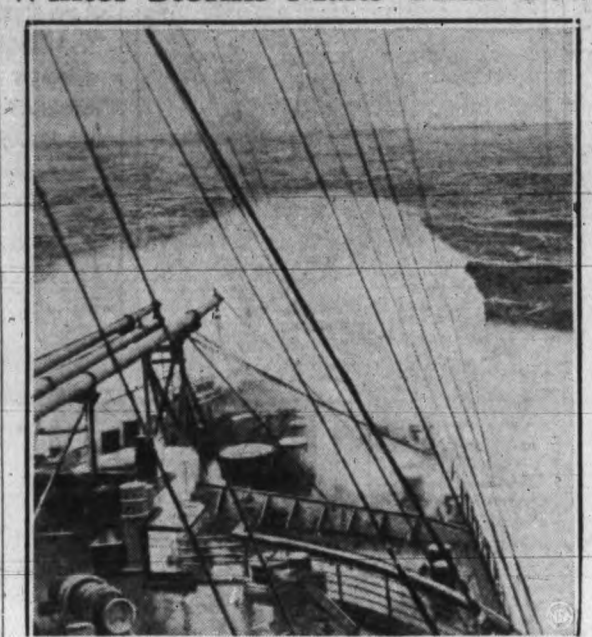
Pachena Point—Overcast; calm; 30.48; 44; sea, smooth.

Seafair Lightship—Cloudy; northeast, light; 30.45; 46; sea, smooth.

Point Grey—Cloudy; southeast, light; 30.45; 38; sea, light swell.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; calm; 30.45; 38; sea, smooth.

Winter Storms Make Their Bow



A foretaste of the many struggles to come between powerful trans-Atlantic liners and mountainous seas churned up by winter storms is afforded by this picture made as the German liner Bremen pounded her way toward New York, her bow throwing up a plume of spray. Driven by head winds, the huge waves delayed the liner's arrival at New York nearly twenty-four hours.

PREPARE FOR BIG CROWDS

London Expects Greatest Number of Visitors in History For Coronation

Associated Press

London, Nov. 30.—England expects the largest number of visitors in its history for the coronation of King Edward next May.

Already almost every ship for next season, whether from New York or the Malay Straits, is "booked up."

Leading hotels, have sold out their accommodations, and a search for "1,500,000 rooms" in the suburbs and the nearby towns has been started by a committee on arrangements.

But the problem of how to get here, and where to stay, is simple in comparison with the much more difficult one of getting a place to view the royal procession on its way to or from Westminster Abbey.

As for getting in the Abbey, well, that's something few visitors can even think about attempting.

By the time the Royal Family, visiting monarchs, bishops, peers and members of the Government are taken in there will scarcely be any room for others.

Fortunately, the route of the procession is being stretched over six miles so that visitors will have a reasonable chance to get a place in a hotel, home or apartment offering a view. But it is going to cost money.

Although anybody hoping to see the procession from a vantage point may expect to pay a minimum of \$25, and maybe up to \$100, there will still be a possibility of getting up early and finding a place like the Englishmen who will line the sidewalks all night for the day of the coronation.

DOMINOES TASTE INITIAL DEFEAT

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finished the scoring when he sank a foul throw for the Dominos.

In the preliminary tussle Kingham-Gillespie took the measure of the Regents 29 to 23 in an intermediate A boys' battle. It was fast and interesting. The fuelmen were leading 16 to 9 at half time. The final half saw the Regents fighting back hard, but they failed to make the grade.

Tommy Macedo and W. King refereed.

The teams and scores follow: Teams and scores follow: Seattle—Estep (6), Dickie, Murphy (5), Williamson, Werner (4), Frederick (4) and Bell.

Dominos—Taylor (5), Rowe, Webster (2), Davies (1), Kinnear, A. Chapman (5), Mottishaw (2) and C. Chapman (1).

Kingham-Gillespie—Anderson (4), Allan, Passmore (12), McKeachie (4), Phillips (4), Miller (4) and Beery (1).

Regents—Dale (2), Suparks (6), Dickie, Bray (3), Parfitt (6) and Patterson (6).

VICTORIA WEST IN SEVENTH VICTORY

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the upper hand but the City defence was sound.

Early in the second half the City took up the attack and George Payne came within an ace of scoring when Watt blocked his shot after the winger had drawn DeCosta out of his goal. The City kept up the attack and were rewarded with what proved the winning counter when George Payne took a pass from his brother Jack and picked the corner of the net.

Equivalents returned play after the goal and for quite a time kept the City in their own half of the field but the dockers couldn't get another goal.

Dave Swan refereed.

The teams follow: Victoria City—Rowe, Moody, Roper, Roeside, G. Robbins, C. Robbins, T. Peers, Moore, Brandow, J. Payne and G. Payne.

Equivalents—L. DeCosta, J. Watt, Pearce, Robinson, Restall, McEay, Dear, E. DeCosta Hess and Browne.

Lone Sailor Battles Seas

In Twenty-three-foot Sailboat, Seaman Battles Elements on Way to B.C. Ports.

Associated Press

Brunswick, Ga., Nov. 30.—Bound from Halifax to Victoria and Vancouver in a twenty-three-foot sailboat with a dog for companion, Capt. W. A. "Bill" Crowell of Nova Scotia headed for Cuba after spinning a tale here of lonely suffering at sea.

Crowell, who set sail from Halifax July 13 with hopes of reaching British Columbia in twenty months, told of spending harrowing days at sea after a futile attempt October 23 to tie up to Diamond Shoals lightship for the night.

"I then sailed sixty miles and hove to so rough was the sea," related the tanned and wrinkled seafarer. "The first big wave filled the boat with water."

"I cut away the sail, put out two drag anchors and for fifty-five hours floated, the wind carrying me north-east, putting me in the Gulf Stream, where dolphin crowded around my boat so thick I could have reached out and picked up one, while flying fish seemed to have taken a pleasure in flying over my boat."

"I was out thirty-five days and nights, five of them without a wink of sleep, and my food supply consisted of five slices of bread and a can of beans."

Ship Beaten By Furious Gales

Associated Press

Saint John, N.B., Nov. 30.—Her starboard lifeboat stove in and her superstructure damaged by mountainous seas, the little Norwegian collier Faneberg crept into harbor Saturday night after backing the north Atlantic for twenty-seven days from Swansea, Wales.

Her hatches tightly battened down on 1,760 tons of Welsh anthracite, the Faneberg plowed westward into the teeth of gales which increased to such an extent that eight days out she was driven back to within 100 miles of the Irish coast.

Married Co-eds Are Organized

Associated Press

Eugene, Ore., Nov. 30.—Determined to prove co-operative the old saying "two can live as cheaply as one," married students at the University of Oregon will form an organization to be known as the T.O.L.A.C.A. Howard Kessler, a bridegroom of a week, announced today.

The initials stand for "two can live as cheaply as association."

The club will promote social affairs for young married couples, appoint committees to study individual problems and to work out plans for co-operative purchasing of commodities.

MAN CUT OFF TOE

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 30. (Associated Press).—William C. Burris, fifty-three, a hotel fireman, was recovering in a hospital here today after amputating part of his own toe with a penknife. He performed the operation after a heavy radiator had crushed his toes.



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AMERICANS AND CANADIENS REGISTER SMART HOCKEY VICTORIES

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worked with Peggy O'Neil and Dit Clapper to bring Bruins the split decision.

SUMMARIES FOLLOW:

TORONTO-CANADIENS
First period—1, Toronto, Day (Metz), 5:43.

Second period—Canadiens, Gagnon (Selbert), 8:07. Penalties: Haynes, Jackson.

Third period—3, Toronto, Metz (Apps, Jackson), 11:12; 4, Toronto, Fowler, 11:32; 5, Toronto, Apps (Jackson), 11:45; 6, Canadiens, Delella (Gagnon), 15:33. Penalties: Miller, Selbert.

AMERICANS-MAROONS
First period—1, Maroons, Robinson (Billico), 10:00. Penalties: Shields, Gracie.

Second period—2, Maroons, Gracie (Cain, Evans), 11:10; 3, Americans, Anderson (Carr), 14:34. Penalties: Shields, McKenzie, Evans.

Third period—4, Maroons, Ward, 2:15; 5, Americans, Schirner (Chapman), 3:02.

RANGERS-BOSTON
First period—1, Boston, Getliffe, 5:32; 2, Rangers, Shibley, 11:14. Penalties: Smith, Shibley, Goldsworthy.

Second period—No scoring.

Third period—No scoring. Penalties: Smith (2).

Overtime period—3, Rangers, Shibley, 25; 4, Boston, Smith

(O'Neill, Clapper), 2:05. Penalties: Coulter.

AMERICANS-DETROIT
First period—Scoring, none.

Penalties: Goodfellow, Lamb, Second period—1 New York, Schirner, (Chapman, Carr), 16:02.

Penalties: Goodfellow, Shields, (Chapman), 5:00.

Penalty: Young.

CANADIENS-CHICAGO
First period—1 Chicago, March (Romes), 16:05.

Penalties: None.

Second period—2 Canadiens, McGill (Lorrain, Haynes), 9:35; 3 Canadiens, Miller (Gagnon), 14:10.

Penalties: Trudel (2, Jenkins), Third period—Scoring, none.

Penalties: None.

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